

Victoria and vicinity for 24 hours ending 3 p.m. Tuesday: Increasing southerly winds, unsettled and mild with occasional rain.

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HUNTER KILLED WHEN MISTAKEN FOR DEER IN WOODS

Three Victoria Youths Are Rescued From Tide-rip Japanese Freighter Arrives In Time To Save Young Hunters

Were Caught in Eddying Tide-rip Off Discovery Island Yesterday Morning When Ss. Belfast Maru Averted Disaster; Lads Taken to Vancouver Aboard Rescue Ship and Returned to Victoria on Ss. Prince David.

Three local youths, Sidney Brown and J. R. Mallock, both of 843 Pandora Avenue, and Jack Humphries of 2507 Avebury Avenue, were saved from possible death by drowning at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, when the Japanese freighter Belfast Maru, bound from William Head for Vancouver, picked them up from a dangerous tide rip, in which they were caught in a small row-boat, near Discovery Island, Gulf of Georgia. The Belfast Maru took them to Vancouver and the trio arrived in Victoria late yesterday afternoon on board the Canadian National steamer Prince David.

The youths, S. Brown and Mallock, seventeen years of age, and young Humphries, only fifteen, left their homes in Victoria at midnight on Saturday for Esquimalt Harbor, intending to set out at dawn on a duck hunting expedition in the gulf. They left at 1:30 a.m., however, and had rowed ten miles when caught in one of the dangerous tide rips of the gulf. They were unable to get out and were almost exhausted with rowing when picked up. Capt. W. Shadford was pilot on the bridge of the Belfast Maru, and it was he who first saw the distressed lads. Giving orders to the engine-room, he had the steamer stopped and ladders lowered, upon which the boys climbed to warmth and safety after a night in the open and several hours of worry when in the swirling waters of the eddying tide. The boys were suffering from exposure when picked up but soon revived when given breakfast and dry clothes on the Japanese steamer. Everyone aboard, from Capt. K. O. Shima, down to the cabin boys, treated the rescued lads most courteously, and when they left the ship in Vancouver they were thoroughly recovered after several hours' sleep.

The parents of the boys in Victoria knew nothing of the mishap until the Provincial Police phoned them yesterday afternoon and told them that their sons had been picked up in the gulf and would arrive in Victoria late in the afternoon. It was three happy boys that trooped off the gangway from the steamer into the arms of waiting and anxious parents.

One of the lads said this morning they were greatly worried. They had lost an oar and the boat had taken water, which they baled out as best they could with a small tin can. Those on the Belfast Maru were of the opinion that the boys would have been within an hour. The boys realized this also, for they were preparing to leave the rowboat and swim to shore. One of the trio was unable to swim and the other two were tired and means of saving him when the Belfast Maru appeared.

NOVEMBER WAS DRY AND FOGGY

Victoria Assured of Abnormally Dry Year, Dominion Meteorologist Announces

November was an abnormally dry month in Victoria, marked also by more than an average amount of fog and northerly winds, F. Napier Denison, Dominion Meteorologist, reported this morning.

He announced that the whole year had been unusually dry and that twelve months promised to be far below the average as regards rainfall.

PLAN TO END STRIKE FAILS IN SCOTLAND

Delegates of 90,000 Coal Miners Refuse Temporary Settlement

Apart From 600 in Wales, Other Miners in Britain Are Working

London, Dec. 1.—Any hope there might have been for immediate settlement of the coal mine dispute in Scotland, where 90,000 miners walked out to-day, dissolved this afternoon when a conciliation board, meeting in Glasgow, adjourned without even patching up a temporary truce.

The industry and the government had expected that meeting might reach some tentative agreement, and this hope was expressed in the House of Commons this afternoon by Minister of Mines Shinwell, who said a settlement was "not at all unlikely."

Hardly were the words out of his mouth when the news came from Glasgow that this day's meeting, at any rate, had borne no fruit. The miners' leaders said they had advised their men to "stand firm" and a meeting of union delegates was called for to-morrow to decide on the next step.

Meanwhile came the first indication that even a temporary agreement in South Wales might not be satisfactory to the miners themselves. Six hundred men at the Tarent Colliery, near the Swansea valley, walked out this afternoon, apparently in protest against the terms of the tentative settlement agreed to Saturday by the South Wales Miners' Federation.

What the miners want is abolition of the "apportionment system," by which the owners could divide a forty-five-hour week into five eight-hour shifts and one five-hour shift. The new Coal Mines Bill, which would give a straight week and one-half-hour day, became effective this morning. The mine operators claim the spread-over is their only alternative to a reduction in wages. The situation is complicated by the fact that in some localities the spread-over plan has been accepted by the miners. (Concluded on Page 2)

Sweepstake Action Again Postponed

Action in the Supreme Court on behalf of Arthur Cann, sweepstake winner, to block the operation of the lottery, was postponed again to-day, when it was due to come up. It will be called on Wednesday. Miss Sarah Gibbs was postponed again to-day, when she was due to come up. Mr. Cann also claims half interest in Mr. Cann's winnings. Her action takes precedence to the forfeiture claim brought by Charles E. Sonley.

HAPSBURG ON TRIAL IN NEW YORK



Charged with participation in the alleged theft of the famous Napoleon diamond necklace from the former Archduchess Marie Theresia of Vienna, Ex-Archduke Leopold appeared on the first day of his trial in New York. A jeweler obtained the necklace, which in 1811 had been a gift from Napoleon Bonaparte to Empress Marie Louise, for \$60,000, and Leopold is alleged to have received \$20,000 of the sum as a "commission" for authenticating it.

WASHINGTON RED PARADE IS BROKEN UP

Police Quickly Put End to Demonstration at Capitol; Placards Seized

Gas Bomb Thrown By Constable Causes Tears Among the Spectators

Washington, Dec. 1.—A crowd of several hundred persons, some calling themselves Communists, gathered in front of the Capitol here to-day carrying placards, which were quickly torn down by police.

Police did not interfere until the placards were displayed. Some of these called for "Release of all political prisoners" and "Down with finger printing and registration."

Members of the regular Capitol police squad then tore into the crowd, snatching the placards and jostling some of the demonstrators.

There was sporadic fighting, but it was quickly stopped.

One of the two score policemen released a tear gas bomb which, however, appeared to cause more tears among the spectators than the demonstrators.

Under the guidance of police, the demonstrators headed toward the House side of the Capitol Plaza and finally struggled out in a long line around the south end of the building.

Some fist fighting continued, with a few women being jostled in the melee.

TELEGRAM SAYS MRS. MILLER, FLIER, IS SAFE



New York, Dec. 1.—Mrs. C. S. Beveridge told the Associated Press this evening she had received a telegram from her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Keith-Miller, sent from Nassau, Bahamas, saying she was safe after being unreported since last Friday, following an attempt to fly her plane from Havana to Miami, Fla.

An earlier dispatch said The Miami Herald to-day had sent an airplane to Peters, Fla., eighteen miles south of there, to investigate a report that a plane believed to be that of Mrs. J. M. Keith-Miller, Australian aviator, had been wrecked in the swamps near there.

A. L. Robinson of Miami, gave the report to the newspaper and with a passenger aboard the plane, left to investigate.

The Chamber of Commerce directors this afternoon recorded support for the Willows and fire-fighting equipment loan by-laws, to be placed before the ratepayers for ratification at the annual elections.

The matter was introduced by a letter from W. H. Mearns, secretary of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, asking endorsement of the chamber of the by-law authorizing \$35,000 for new buildings at the Willows. Mr. Mearns pointed out that the cost of the new structures would be \$70,000, of which the Provincial Government would provide one-half. He also stressed the importance of the work as a step towards alleviation of unemployment.

R. H. B. Ker moved the endorsement be given, but desired that the approval also embrace the loan for additional fire fighting equipment.

RENTS CUT COSTS James Parfitt pointed out that the cost to the ratepayers of the Willows improvement would not be as large as appeared, because the added space rentable to exhibitors would provide a substantial revenue. He declared that many local manufacturers had already signed contracts for space, and that for many years there had not been available sufficient accommodation at the Willows to supply all the manufacturers willing to rent space.

THREE IN FIGHT FOR VANCOUVER'S POST OF MAYOR Vancouver, Dec. 1.—T. W. Fletcher has announced his intention of contesting the mayoralty election December 10. A former reeve of Point Grey in years before the amalgamation, Mr. Fletcher has considerable municipal experience since he came to British Columbia in 1887.

Entrance of Mr. Fletcher into the campaign means a three-way fight for the mayor's chair. The other two candidates are Mayor W. H. Malkin and former Mayor L. D. Taylor.

The liner Empress of Japan is scheduled to arrive at Victoria and Vancouver December 12.

SAFE-CRACKERS ARE FOILED BY THEATRE SAFE

Dominion Theatre Strong Box Is Attacked With Drills By Intruders

After trying to drill several holes in the door of the safe, burglars, who entered the manager's office at the Dominion Theatre yesterday evening, evidently gave up the task and departed without securing any loot.

Detectives who investigated the robbery attempt this morning came to the conclusion that the job was done by amateurs. J. M. Robertson, manager of the theatre, said the men got nothing, although there was some money in the safe.

The attempted safe-cracking was discovered at 7 o'clock this morning when the janitor arrived to clean up the theatre. It was apparent the burglars entered the manager's office at the theatre, said the men got nothing, although there was some money in the safe.

AMATEUR METHOD Evidence that the job was the work of amateurs appeared in the method used to open the door into the office. Apparently the intruders had first drilled a hole in the lower panel. Then they switched to the brass plate on the knob, which was unsecured. A Yale lock, above the knob, was then attacked and the woodwork around it cut away. Defeated in these methods the burglars smashed the window in the door and unhooked the catch from the inside.

The steel of the safe door apparently resisted the drill used by the burglars. Two holes were made in the dial, which was removed and then the drill was put to work on the door itself. A couple of small indentations were made and the surface of the door was scratched by the drill, but the efforts to force the door were unsuccessful.

Entry to the building was gained through ventilators on the roof. A flashlight was found nearby.

Although the intruders may have been scared off by noises on the streets, it is thought probable they became disgusted with their attempts to force the safe.

Detectives W. Caldwell and T. H. Bamford investigated the case.

U.S. SECRETARY SWORN IN Washington, Dec. 1.—William H. Davis of Virginia was sworn in to-day as United States Secretary of Labor, succeeding Senator-elect James J. Davis of Pennsylvania.

ENGLISH CUP GAMES DEC. 13 ARRANGED London, Dec. 1.—The draw for the second round proper of the English Football Association Cup competition, to be played December 13, was made to-day and announced as follows: Gainsborough vs. Southampton. Brentford vs. Norwich. Accrington Stanley vs. Torquay United. Gillingham vs. Aldershot or Peterborough. Fulham vs. Wimbledon vs. Halifax Town or Mansfield. Nelson vs. York City. Tranmere Rovers or Gateshead vs. Folkestone. Watford vs. Luton Town or Clapton Orient. Crewe Alexandra vs. Queen's Park Rangers. Doncaster Rovers vs. Nott's County. Scarborough vs. Lincoln City. Newark vs. Crystal Palace. Bristol Rovers vs. Stockport. Walsall vs. Dulwich Hamlet or Newport. Wellington or Wombwell vs. Wrexham. Carlisle vs. Burnbridge Wells. Exeter City vs. Coventry City.

Elmer Plaxton, Nineteen, Dies After Mishap Yesterday; Shot Fired By His Chum Hunting With Another Party Police Are Told; Youth Died Within Few Minutes, Despite Efforts of Companions to Stop Flow of Blood; Inquest Will Be Held.

Elmer Plaxton, nineteen, of Holland Avenue, Saanich, is dead as a result of a hunting trip over the week-end.

Young Plaxton, who was hunting in the hills near the Goldstream waterfalls, died a few minutes after receiving a rifle shot in the right chest yesterday afternoon. Provincial Police learned. A party went into the woods this morning to get the body. Reggie Clough, seventeen, Strawberry Vale, a chum of Plaxton, told police he fired the shot and is held on a technical charge.

The accident to Plaxton happened about 9:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon on a ridge just behind the powerhouse of the Goldstream waterfalls. Provincial Police learned. Staff Sergeant Robert Owens was notified at 4:30 o'clock, and accompanied by Constable A. Carmichael, went to the powerhouse to meet members of the shooting party.

STAYED WITH BODY Clough had remained with the body of Plaxton, awaiting help. Constable Carmichael went into the bush but it was found the body could not be moved without a stretcher. It was covered with brush and left till this morning when Constables H. Hughes and Carmichael returned to the scene.

According to information secured by the police, Plaxton and Clough were hunting in different parties. There were three in each group.

Clough had become separated from his partners and was by himself when he fired at something moving in the bush. Police were told.

SHOT THROUGH CHEST Plaxton was accompanied by Teddy Bailey, Roderick Street. They were moving through the bush when the shot was fired and Plaxton put his hand to his chest, crying, "I'm shot."

Clough rushed over to the other two and he and young Bailey did their best to staunch the flow of blood from the wound in the boy's chest, but the lad died within a few minutes. While Clough stayed with the body the other two went to get help. Plaxton and Clough were chums, the police were told. An inquest will be held.

FUNERAL OF CAPITALIST TO-MORROW

A. C. Flumerfelt Came to Province in 'Eighties; Founded Many Concerns

Former Cabinet Minister, Prominent Citizen and Philanthropist, Died Saturday

Following a private service at the Pemberton Road residence at 2 o'clock, public funeral services will be held at St. John's Church to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for Alfred C. Flumerfelt, former Cabinet minister, well-known citizen and financial leader, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday afternoon, after an illness of three weeks' duration.

Mr. Flumerfelt was in his seventy-fifth year, but retained his youthful vigor and mental alertness to a remarkable degree and appeared in his usual robust health until stricken several weeks ago with the malady to which he succumbed about five o'clock on Saturday afternoon. (Concluded on Page 2)

Wheat Champion To Be Named To-morrow

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The first of the wheat classes judged in the grain and hay show of the International Livestock Exposition here, soft red winter, was won by C. Edson Smith of Corvallis, Montana.

By winning in the soft red winter class, Smith's entry qualified for the first place winners of the various classes, which are still to be decided and which may include one or more Canadians. Smith has long been the chief contestant with Canada's growers for the wheat championship.

The only Canadian placed in the soft red winter class was the thirteenth ranking won by Nagel Brothers of Fisherville, Ontario.

ONTARIO SUCCESS The entry of Bruce A. McKinnon of Hillsburg, Ont., in the breeding cattle division for short-horn type, was awarded second prize at the Chicago International Exposition to-day. Bruce took the ribbon with a two-year-old short-horn bull.

In the senior yearling short-horn bull class, T. A. Russell of Downsview, Ont., secured fifth prize with his entry, while Fred H. Deason of Unionville, Ont., was third.

H. W. Lee of Highgate, Ont., to-day was awarded the blue ribbon for the premier long-wool type wether. Lee also took second in this class. The victory qualifies the Lee animal to compete for the title of grand champion wether.

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TWO LOANS ARE ENDORSED BY COMMERCE BODY

Willows Buildings and Fire-fighting Equipment By-laws Supported By Directors

VICTORIA GAINS CONTROL FROM VANCOUVER

Interior Men Join Local Contingent Winning Battle For Party Domination

Victoria delegates to the Provincial Conservative convention at Penticton last week, who returned to-day were in a jubilant mood as a result of what they declared to be a victory for the Victoria and Island forces over the lower mainland.

With Lindley Crease as president, and W. O. Wallace as secretary, both Victoria men, this district now controls the chief offices in the B.C. Conservative Association, they said.

The Victoria delegates told how the delegates from the interior joined forces with them to oust from control of the organization, the Vancouver faction headed by T. L. Kirk, M.P.P. men, this district now controls the grip and on which speakers placed the blame for most of the trouble.

The interior delegates also joined the Victoria contingent, led by H. Despard, in putting through technical amendments to the constitution to prevent Vancouver from controlling the finances of the Conservative organization. Delegates at the convention complained that Conservative finances were controlled too much from Vancouver.

WORKERS NEED ONE MONTH FOR DO-X REPAIRS

Lisbon, Dec. 1.—Their dream of a flight across the Atlantic gone up in smoke, members of the crew of the great German flying boat DO-X to-day were scattering in various directions while their ship lay crippled, the left wing destroyed by fire.

BONES OF GIANTS FOUND IN NORTHERN MEXICO CEMETERY

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 1.—Discovery of remains of what is believed to have been a hitherto unknown race of giants has been disclosed by J. E. Coker of Sayapa, Sonora, a Mexican town 300 miles south of the United States border.

According to Coker, a mining engineer, laborers clearing ranch land near the Haqui River in the vicinity of Sayapa dug into an old cemetery where bodies of men averaging eight feet in height were found buried tier on tier.

New Economy Programme In Germany Starts

Berlin, Dec. 1.—President von Hindenburg this evening signed a decree putting into effect Chancellor Brüning's drastic emergency financial programme.

"We searched every foot of the coast line north and south of Prince Rupert," declared Flight Lieut. L. R. (Concluded on Page 3)

NO WORD YET FROM BURKE SEARCH PARTY

Pilot Wasson and Guide Are Mushing to Yukon Area Where Plane Lies

Vancouver, Dec. 1.—To-day brought no word of new developments in the search for British Columbia's eighth missing aviator. No word was received from E. L. Wasson, Tresdel Yukon Exploration Co. pilot, who left Whitehorse, Y.T., last Friday for the headwaters of the Liard River, where he sighted Capt. E. J. A. Burke's abandoned plane last week.

It is not expected that Wasson and his companion, Guide J. Walsh, can return to Whitehorse before to-morrow. They planned to mush miles overland from a small lake, the only landing spot available in the vicinity of the abandoned plane.

RENAHAN SEARCH The two U.S. naval amphibian planes were unable to continue their search for Robin "Pat" Renahan and his two passengers on Sunday because of unfavorable weather near Ketchikan, where they are based. The U.S. coast-guard cutter Cygan returned to that port from a week's unsuccessful hunt, during which its crew explored both sides of the Portland Canal thoroughly.

Renahan, Sam Clief, prospector, and Frank Hatcher, air engineer, disappeared October 29 north of Prince Rupert while on their way to Atlin to join the Burke search. They were flying a United States machine loaned by the Alaska-Washington Airways Line.

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E. Hallors, Chiropractor, Electro-therapist, 620 View Street, Phone E5842, evenings, 7 to 9 p.m.

"Mrs. Brigs' Poultry Yard" three-act comedy, under the auspices of the Axioms, First United Church, Tuesday, December 9, at 8.15 p.m. Proceeds for Christmas hamper work. Help us to help others.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, December 2, 2.45 p.m. Colonel W. Bower, "The Relations Between French and English Canada." Soloists, Mrs. Clifford Wain and the Misses Wain.

Mrs. Helen De Suzanne and Edith Oliver, recital, Empress Hotel, December 5. Tickets at Fletcher Bros.

Miss Holcroft, late North Quadra Beauty Parlors, now employed at P. H. Wells, Hairdressing Parlors, Arcade Building.

A Good Laugh!—Come to the First United Church Hall, Tuesday, December 9, 8.15 p.m. See "Mrs. Brigs' Poultry Yard," three-act comedy. Tickets 35c. Proceeds for Christmas hamper work. Auspices of the Axioms.

Women's Cultural Association—Social evening to-night. Speaker, Mr. Twigg. Members and friends are assured a pleasant evening.

Tea cup reading by an Egyptian expert at Stevenson's, Yates Street, every afternoon from 3 to 5 p.m.

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Hill's Drugstore, sole agent for Pure Ontario Gold Honey. Phone G 4822.

Notice—Maeona Samu has moved to 425 Durban Street, Fairfield.

Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., bazaar, Saturday, December 6, Douglas Street.

For Christmas Cards inspect the large stock at Dignon's and Hibben's two stores.

We have a fine selection of Christmas and Bridge Novelties, James McMartin, 816 Yates Street.

Try a box of Jean Fraley Chocolates on sale at 610 Fort Street.

St. Mary's Oak Bay Ladies' Guild Christmas Bazaar in St. Mary's Hall on Tuesday, December 2, at 3 o'clock.

Reformed Episcopal Church Ladies' Aid will hold a Christmas bazaar Thursday, December 4, 3 to 6 o'clock, Bishop Crigge Memorial Hall, Blanshard Street.

HEENAN STATES ONTARIO CUTS WORKERS' PAY

Former Federal Minister Says Ferguson Government Treats Kenora District Unfairly

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—A statement, in which he said the Ontario Government had utterly failed to live up to election promises made in the Kenora district and many unemployed there were facing a bleak winter was issued today by Hon. Peter Heenan, former Federal Minister of Labor, on his return from his constituency.

"The one achievement of the provincial authorities to date in that area is a move made some seventy cents a day more made possible by the present abundance of labor," Mr. Heenan said. "Men are working on roads and in the mines. They are getting \$4 a day."

"The Ontario Government is entirely callous and indifferent to the suffering of the people in that country, and they are doing more to create radicals than any other agency I know of in the country."

PLAN TO END STRIKE FAILS IN SCOTLAND

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DAY TO DAY BASIS
In Scotland, where 90,000 men failed to show up at the pits this morning to start the week, the sole exception to the stoppage was in the Ayrshire district, where the miners decided to continue on a day-to-day basis pending efforts to reach a general settlement of the national dispute.

OFFICIALS ARE BUSY
London, Dec. 1.—Despite a strike today in the coalfields of Scotland, where 90,000 workers are idle, and a walk-out at the Tarent mine in South Wales, this afternoon, British authorities have hopes a nation-wide general coal strike, at first threatened for to-day, will be averted.

The government is doing its utmost to keep work going, if only by daily agreements pending resumption of the miners' Federation conference next Thursday, when terms for a possible permanent settlement will be discussed.

E. Shinnell, Minister of Mines, in a statement to the press said:

"The miners have shown remarkable forbearance for a week or two in the face of extreme demands of the owners. On the other hand, there has been a substantial body of opinion among owners very anxious to promote settlements. There has been a real will for peace."

If efforts of the next few days fail to produce a settlement, the miners throughout the country must be consulted by ballot vote before a general strike can be declared.

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MOSCOW TRIAL LEADS TO NOTE FROM BRITAIN

Foreign Secretary Henderson Takes Exception to Charges British Aided Plotters

No Information on Further Steps Till Ambassador at Moscow Is Heard From

London, Dec. 1.—Mr. Henderson, Foreign Secretary, has instructed the British ambassador at Moscow to communicate to the Soviet authorities that he takes exception to certain reflections on former and present British Governments in connection with the trial there of eight men for treason.

He made this announcement in the House of Commons today in reply to several questions regarding references to British subjects and Government officials in the indictments against the accused. He said he could not tell what further steps would be necessary until he had heard from the ambassador, nor did he indicate the "reflections" he said he could not tell.

The indictment charged Britain was implicated with France and several other nations in a plot to overthrow the Soviet Government. The documents mentioned "Lord Churchill of England," "Colonel Lawrence" and "Sir Henri Deterding, the British oil magnate."

Moscow, Dec. 1.—Leonid Ramin, "a plotter" in a fantastic intrigue to overthrow the Soviet regime, ceased for a moment today to be a man on trial for his life and angrily defended his honor as a scientist.

"I have confessed my crimes of trying to wreck Soviet industries," he shouted at M. Krikenko, public prosecutor, "but I must insist my scientific writings are honest theories and beliefs and that they never once in my life have I departed from the honest views of a scientist."

This outburst came when the shrewd Krikenko, continuing his merciless cross-examination of Ramin and his seven co-defendants, impugned to the engineer's professional works the taint of anti-Soviet propaganda. He produced newspaper articles by Ramin and called them "journalistic sabotage."

PROUD OF BOOKS
The comparatively youthful Ramin was outraged. Raising first to his chair, he leveled a finger at Krikenko and turned to the four judges.

"I demand," he said, "that the prosecutor produce my scientific works and show these passages which constitute sabotage. My scientific writings are known to all countries. I am proud of them and I intend to defend them."

The four judges, all of them smoking cigarettes, indicated Krikenko could read at leisure. He seemed so long as he showed them first to the lawyer appointed to defend the accused.

Then Krikenko led the witness through further details of the far-flung plot of which he and his associates are accused, got Ramin to tell about how they faked the figures in some of the important industries vital to the success of the "five-year plan" and went over much of the ground which already had been covered at previous sessions of this trial.

PRISONERS ARE WEARY
The defendants did not seem so brightly colored today as they were when they first came to the trial. They looked as though they were tired, particularly the sixty-seven-year-old Alexander Fedotov, might not be able to hold out if the trial should last a week longer.

FUNERAL OF CAPITALIST TO-MORROW
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His passing will be mourned by a very wide circle of friends both here and in the Empire and much sympathy will be tendered to his widow, who resides at the family home, 905 Pemberton Road, and his two daughters, Mrs. Blide and Mrs. Santa Monica, Cal., and Mrs. Geoffrey Jefferson, M.D., Manchester, England.

FINANCIER AND CAPITALIST
Horace Greeley's celebrated advice to young men was accepted enthusiastically by Mr. Flumerfelt, one of Western Canada's best known financiers and capitalists, and apparently never had reason to regret it. Coming to the West in early days of this century, Mr. Flumerfelt became the head of enterprises varying from shingle manufacture to the handling of government and municipal bonds, with directorship in the Canadian Bank of Commerce and other large concerns.

CAME TO B.C. IN 1886
Mr. Flumerfelt was born in Markham, Ontario, in 1856 and was educated at the public schools there. From 1878 to 1879 he was employed in a wholesale boot and shoe business in Coburg, Ontario. He moved as far west as Winnipeg then, and became associated with Ames, Holden & Company. He came to British Columbia in 1886 as branch manager of that important concern and remained in that position for fourteen years. During this period he made his home in Victoria and, becoming interested in mining developments which were proceeding rapidly in the West at that time, he soon found himself a leader in many industrial enterprises.

ONE OF FOUNDERS OF GRANBY
Possessing unusual financial abilities, particularly in mining ventures, Mr. Flumerfelt was one of the organizers of the famous Granby Smelting and Refining Company, now the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Company, whose holdings and operations now constitute the greatest enterprise of the kind in the British Empire, and among the largest in the world. Grand Forks was the site chosen for the erection of the smelter and refinery, and as a result of the initiative of the company an era of progress and development was ushered in which stimulated activity in the whole of the Kettle River Valley, and led to the construction of the Columbia and Western Railway. When Mr. Flumerfelt left the active management of the company, it was giving steady employment to a force of no less than 1,500 men, and was paying in freight charges alone a sum approximately \$50,000 per month.

STARTED A CITY
He founded the town of Coleman, near the British Columbia border, establishing at that point the works of the International Coal and Coke Company, which he founded. For many years he was the active head of the company, whose holding constituted one of the big coal mining properties of the coast.

SAVING PLANE
From Telegraph Creek came word that Edward Lowe, of the Pacific International Airways, is making attempts to salvage his Fieseler, which broke through the ice of a lake near the town of Atlin. Pontoons constructed from logs and air-filled barrels have been placed under the forward part of the machine to float it high enough out of the water to prevent the machine from being crushed as the lake is sufficiently frozen, the wheels will then be carried out to make the machine afloat.

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Members of the public, on whom no canvasser has called, who wish to contribute to the above fund, are requested to fill out and return this form.

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STARTED A CITY
He founded the town of Coleman, near the British Columbia border, establishing at that point the works of the International Coal and Coke Company, which he founded. For many years he was the active head of the company, whose holding constituted one of the big coal mining properties of the coast.

SAVING PLANE
From Telegraph Creek came word that Edward Lowe, of the Pacific International Airways, is making attempts to salvage his Fieseler, which broke through the ice of a lake near the town of Atlin. Pontoons constructed from logs and air-filled barrels have been placed under the forward part of the machine to float it high enough out of the water to prevent the machine from being crushed as the lake is sufficiently frozen, the wheels will then be carried out to make the machine afloat.

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Toimie Reveals Big Deficit On B.C. Highways

Conservative Convention Given Details By Premier, Denying Extravagance

After Gas Tax and Auto Fees, \$1,170,000 Taken From General Revenue For Roads

Lindley Crease of Victoria Elected President; Many Resolutions on Policy

Pentlitz, B.C., Dec. 1.—In addressing the annual meeting of the B.C. Conservative Association here Saturday night, Premier S. P. Toimie spoke of a number of items requested to be included in the provincial treasury when he took office twenty-seven months ago.

"We found a deficit of nearly \$8,000,000, which required to be met immediately by a loan," he said. "This was bad enough," he continued, "but we further found that the present leader of the liberal party, then Minister of Lands, had gone wildly into a number of land schemes which involved millions of the people's money."

In connection with these he mentioned the Oliver project estimated at \$800,000, but which cost \$4,500,000. "In short," he said, "the late Liberal Government under Mr. Pattullo's administration had expended more than \$20,000,000 in land settlement schemes."

DEFICIT ON HIGHWAY
Replying to the charge of extravagance on public roads, Premier Toimie pointed out that owing to the great use of cars it had become necessary to widen and improve highways throughout the province.

The government, he said, recognizes the necessity of opening up resources by roadwork as with a province like British Columbia, rich in assets of various kinds, they must be made accessible before they can be developed.

The annual highway bill, he stated, is \$5,000,000 for maintenance and fixed charges on loans and the net revenue from the gas tax and registration fees were \$3,830,000 leaving a deficit of \$1,170,000 to be met by general revenue.

LIGHT ON P.E.
Premier Toimie touched lightly on the P.E. and told of the steps taken by the two trans-continental railways to the necessity of opening up resources by roadwork as with a province like British Columbia, rich in assets of various kinds, they must be made accessible before they can be developed.

Referring to the three-man liquor commission, Dr. Toimie declared the plan was working well in Ontario and he felt safe in saying the board would justify its appointment and the salaries they receive.

In conclusion, Premier Toimie said that with a Federal Conservative Government at Ottawa he would leave the Conservative Party in B.C. to realize the change to get many controversial questions with Ottawa cleared up, in the interest of the province.

REFUSES TO BE OUSTED
The first action of the convention at its opening session was to refuse to allow C. M. Woodworth of Vancouver to be elected to the executive committee.

Mr. Woodworth in reply said he would not leave the meeting but call a policeman and see where he stood on the matter.

Lindley Crease of Victoria was elected by acclamation as president of the Provincial Conservative Association at its annual session.

Other officers elected are: First vice-president, Col. W. W. Foster, D.S.O.; second vice-president, Mrs. B. W. Foster; third vice-president, John Bennett; fourth vice-president, F. Hazard; fifth vice-president, J. Kirkpatrick; sixth vice-president, Mrs. S. R. Bennett; seventh vice-president, Wallace, Victoria; treasurer, William Dick, M.P.P., Vancouver.

WOODWORTH REFUSES TO WITHDRAW
Refusal of delegates to allow C. M. Woodworth of Vancouver to be elected to the executive committee of the B.C. Conservative Association also featured the afternoon session.

On a vote being taken on the recommendation of the credentials committee not to grant Mr. Woodworth's application, the ballot showed 56 against Mr. Woodworth and 26 for.

C. J. White of Vancouver, chairman of the committee, in his report stated that the constitution of 1926, under which Mr. Woodworth was permitted to vote as a past president of the association, had been superseded. Consequently Mr. Woodworth was not now eligible to vote.

Mr. White further stated that following his actions during the last federal election he did not see how Woodworth could possibly sit in the assembly in an spirit of animosity, but in the best interests of the Conservative Party.

NOT GOING INTO WILDERNESS
Replying to Mr. White, Mr. Woodworth stated that he did not want to go into the wilderness, but I am a pretty lively man to get rid of and your action will not tend to bring harmony and unity into the party. I am here to fight for my rights and I don't propose to be dispossessed of these rights. Consequently I disregard the ruling of the credentials committee. I appeal for unity in the party with less machine politics."

Following the vote Mr. Woodworth declared he would not withdraw from the meeting, and if necessary would call a policeman to see where he stood on the constitution.

The action not only refers to Mr. Woodworth, but to other past presidents.

RESOLUTIONS APPROVED
The following resolutions were disposed of: The meeting approved a resolution from Sanich that fishing licenses be only granted to bona fide British subjects resident in Canada.

Resolution from Nelson, expressing appreciation of the government on the celebration of the centennial of the confederation of the British Empire, was approved.

MOTOR LICENSE DATES
Another resolution which caused considerable discussion from Nelson was to have the dates of the annual collection of motor licenses. The committee agreed that collections be commenced June 1 instead of the beginning of the year.

Hon. R. H. Pooley pointed out that

if this was done it would mean a loss of approximately \$1,400,000 to the province.

Hon. J. W. Jones and Hon. R. W. Bruhn also spoke on the proposal, and it was finally referred to the Minister of Finance and Attorney-General for favorable consideration.

THREE FROM ATLIN
A resolution from Atlin endorsing the action of the Toimie administration in urging the desirability of securing a permanent railway line through British Columbia was approved. Another resolution from Atlin urged the Federal Government to call a conference of provincial premiers to take up the question of immigration, while a third resolution from Atlin endorsed the proposal to construct a Yukon-Alaska highway and to name it the Toimie Highway.

Resolutions of congratulations to Right Hon. R. B. Bennett and his ministers for their work at the London conference and to Hon. J. W. Jones and Hon. R. W. Bruhn on their elevation to cabinet rank were also carried unanimously.

MOTOR INJURY LIABILITY
A resolution from South Vancouver to amend the Motor Vehicle Act so that an owner of a private car shall not be held liable for injury to a person through accident, while said person is voluntarily a passenger in that car was referred to the Attorney-General for consideration.

The South Vancouver also asked that the B.C. Government be requested to substantially reduce or eliminate chauffeurs' licenses, except those who drive cars carrying paying passengers. This was approved after J. Ingalls had vigorously supported the claim.

The final report of the credentials committee showed ninety-seven delegates in attendance.

The convention was brought to a close with a banquet in the Inco Hotel, when Premier Toimie delivered his annual address.

U.S. CONGRESS COMMENCES ITS WINTER TERM

Washington, Dec. 1.—The Seventy-first Congress of the United States convened at noon today in final session, but not to work long.

The day was one of brief formalities, as usual, with a political truce between the leaders momentarily hiding the controversies to be faced before March 4. Republicans and Democrats have placed the first emphasis on legislation to relieve unemployment and to help farmers who suffered from the drought.

Friends of the legislators and visitors from distant states and nations crowded both the Senate and House galleries as Vice-President Curtis and Speaker Longworth were welcomed back to the Capitol.

The first business was seating of the new members. The rest of the programme was confined to each branch notifying its members of the date and the sending of a committee to notify President Hoover.

UNDERSTANDING NEEDED BETWEEN CANADA'S RACES

Vancouver, Dec. 1.—The changing face of Quebec and the unalterable soul of the French Canadian, the French Canadian, speaking before the Canadian Club at luncheon in the Hotel Vancouver today.

He was speaking for a broadened understanding between French and English-speaking Canadians.

Introducing the speaker after "O Canada" had been sung, Chairman W. R. Burnett said Col. Bovey was more to be sung in this country in French than in English, this being an indication of the honored guest's understanding of the minority race in Canada.

WHEAT CHAMPION TO BE NAMED TO-MORROW

(Continued from Page 1)

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The specialized skill of many of the world's most expert judges of livestock was called into play today at the Thirty-first Interstate Livestock Exposition here, the long and involved task of selecting the best of each type of the thousands of meat animals entered in the show ground.

From early morning, steers were led into the tank amphitheatre, and winners in the age classes were determined. Their victories qualifying them for the competition for the steer grand championship. Few Canadian steers are competing in the show and no swine, but in the sheep arena the Canadian steers were on hand with large numbers of their fat animals and were hopeful of taking some of the first places. Most of the Canadian livestock entries are in the breeding classes and in the horse division which will be judged later in the week.

WHEAT AND OATS
The present exposition is likely to provide more Canadian winners than for several years past is indicated by Canadian successes in the classes first judged in the hay and grain show, which is a part of the international exposition. The two most important grain competitions, those in wheat and oats, are going forward as speedily as the large number of entries permits, but it is expected the new "wheat king" and the winner of the oats sweepstakes, will not be crowned until to-morrow.

CANADIAN PEAS WIN
Field peas, judged over the week-end, furnished almost a clean sweep for Canada. Competition was divided into three classes, large yellow, small yellow, and other varieties. In the large yellow, Cecil Trowell, of Saltcoats, Sask., was first; H. L. Goltz, of Bracebridge, Ont., second; George Avery, of Kelso, Sask., third; and Andrew Schmidt, of Milmay, Ont., fourth. In the small yellow, Herman Trelle, of Wembley, Alberta, was first; J. W. Abbott, of Balmoral, B.C., second; E. A. Howes, of Melrose, Sask.; third, George Avery, of Kelso, Sask., fourth; and Tony Berberich, of Milmay, Ontario, fifth.

Other Canadian winners in other varieties, William Dagnabrou, of Kelso, Sask., won first place. Herman Trelle, of Wembley, Alberta, was second, and Thomas Thompson, of Fairlight, Sask., third. Trelle's sample of small yellow peas won the championship in competition with the winners in three classes, while Trowell's exhibit of the large yellow variety took the reserve championship.

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MAN WOUNDS GIRL AND THEN ENDS OWN LIFE

Ukrainian Shoots Himself at Clayburn, B.C.; Ukrainian Girl in Hospital

Abbotsford, B.C., Dec. 1.—Paul Knockmunk, thirty, of Clayburn, and Theresa Gush, sixteen, are in a serious condition as the result of a shooting allegedly caused by jealousy, at the home of Robert D. Bell, farmer, at Clayburn, near here, yesterday.

The girl was shot with a rifle bullet, fired allegedly by Knockmunk, through a glass door while she was in the front room of the house. Mr. Bell and his daughter were in the kitchen at the time.

Knockmunk then shot himself through the head and fell dead.

The girl left her home at Allicane, Sask., three weeks ago to be married in Clayburn. Knockmunk followed her, and is said to have persuaded her to leave the train at Estevan, but she then continued on to Clayburn.

Knockmunk was seen in the Clayburn district last Thursday. Bell spoke to him and Knockmunk is said to have given no indication then of a threat against the girl's life.

The injured girl, who is a Ukrainian, was brought to the hospital here. It was found the bullet had entered her body close to the heart.

The body of the man, who also was a Ukrainian, was taken to Mission City.

HENRY CHOSEN AS NEW PREMIER OF ONTARIO

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—The Ottawa Evening Citizen in a feature story to-day said:

Hon. George S. Henry, Minister of Highways, is to be Ontario Premier as successor to Hon. G. H. Ferguson, who will soon go to London as Canadian High Commissioner. Hon. T. L. Kennedy, Provincial Minister of Agriculture, stated definitely to The Citizen when interviewed this morning.

"Col. Kennedy, who is in the capital officially to open the Ottawa Winter Fair this evening, gave it as his opinion W. E. M. Sinclair, K.C., would be confirmed as Ontario Liberal leader at the provincial convention this month."

BURMA IS TO BE SEPARATED FROM INDIA

London, Dec. 1.—Separation of Burma from India was accepted in principle by the India Round-Table conference. Sitting in committee, the conference established a special committee with instructions to consider "the nature of conditions which would enable Burma to be separated from India on equitable terms and to recommend the best way of securing this end."

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CANADIANS AT CHICAGO SHOW SHARE PRIZES

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Canadian farmers are proving a strong factor in the competition for grain championships at the International Livestock Exposition here. They won three championships and more than their share of minor awards in the judging Saturday in the hay and grain show which is conducted in conjunction with the exposition.

Outstanding in the early winnings was the taking of the first prize in the rye division by George Avery of Kelso, Sask., over a strong field which included entries from most of the northern sections of the United States.

TRELLE WINS
Herman Trelle of Wembley, in the Peace River country of Alberta, signified his return to successful competition by taking the field pea championship with his exhibit of the small yellow variety. Trelle, a former wheat king of the exposition, did not compete in last year's show, but his success in the early classes this year is a sign of his return to the show.

In the field bean classes, Mary E. Maycock of Milford, Ont., won a surprise victory when her sample of navy beans was judged the best field bean exhibit of the show.

OTHER AWARDS
In addition to the major awards captured by Canadian exhibitors in the grain and field crop sections, important honors in placings went to the Dominion.

Cecil Trowell of Saltcoats, Sask., won first prize for his exhibit of large yellow field peas, with N. L. Goltz of Bracebridge, Ont., second. G. Avery, Kelso, Sask., placed third.

New Women's U.S. Flight Record

Burbank, Cal., Dec. 1.—Ruth Nichols, Rye, N.Y., society woman and aviator, landed here at 12.01 p.m. to-day after a fast flight of one hour, thirty-seven minutes from Kingman, Arizona.

Miss Nichols, who left New York several days ago flying a large cabin monoplane in search of a new trans-Atlantic States woman's speed record, completed her journey with a flying time of seventeen hours, three minutes.

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Closer Labor-Liberal Pact Seen In Britain

New Drift Toward General
Election Met By Moves to
Strengthen Common Ef-
forts of MacDonald and
Lloyd George Followers

By GEORGE HAMILTON,
Canadian Press Staff Correspondent
London, Dec. 1.—British politics have again reached a critical stage and there looms persistently on a troubled horizon the back cloud of a general election which few politicians appear to desire.

"We intend to fight through," said Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, Foreign Secretary, in mid-week address at Cardiff. "We have no intention of having an election unless we are forced to dissolve by a overwhelming combination in the House of Commons on some vital question. In the event of that happening we would have no course open but an appeal to the country."

Of much the same tenor were remarks made by Sir Herbert Samuel, one of the leading members of the Liberal Party, when he spoke at Sarforn, Walden, Essex.

"It would not be to the national interest," said Sir Herbert, "to precipitate a political crisis at this time. We would gain nothing by the disturbance and uncertainty of a general election must bring—least of all at this moment, when the representatives of India are meeting in consultation with all sections of British opinion in an endeavor to solve the most momentous

question which has arisen within the Empire in our time."

CLOSER UNDERSTANDING

Nor are there signs wanting of renewed attempts to bring about a definite Liberal-Labor understanding. In several directions government concessions to the Liberal viewpoint are apparent, though in both parties there are those to whom compromise is anathema. These unyielding ones appear to be in the minority, however.

Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, Liberal chief, evidently can see no advantage in putting the Labor Government out of power to hand the reins to the Conservatives. So there are again rumors of negotiations behind the scenes. Some even go so far as to suggest working agreements between the constituencies to consolidate opposition to the Conservatives.

Among the Tories there is obvious disappointment over the debate in the House on the Imperial Conference. They had, it is true, no expectation their motion of censure would carry the House, but they had hoped to score better than they actually did. Some of the Conservatives claim their leaders lost a valuable opportunity during the debate by their lack of "pep" and "push."

LORDS' DEBATE

The opposition, however, will return to the charge to-morrow, when a drive will be made in the House of Lords against the government's alleged lack of an Empire Policy. Little real fighting, though, is expected at Westminster until after Christmas. A preliminary skirmish on unemployment is planned for this week, but the main battle will not be staged until early in the new year.

SOLLOWAY, MILLS CASES FULL OF COMPLICATIONS

Full Judgment on Crown's
Action in Dropping Charges
Issued in Toronto

Toronto, Dec. 1.—In view of the criticism that has been directed from many quarters at what is considered the disparity in the sentences ranging from two to three years' imprisonment imposed on several mining brokers by Mr. Justice Jeffrey, and the fines levied against Isaac W. C. Solloway and his former partner in the brokerage firm of Solloway-Mills Co. Ltd., Harvey Mills, the statements of Justice Jeffrey delivered in fining the latter, are herewith reproduced in full, from the official stenographic report:

VERBATIM REPORT

His Lordship:—"Stand up. The disposition of this case has given me serious thought. I have considered it from every angle and I am now much relieved by reason of the fact that the Crown has now accepted the plea of autofsols convict to the first and second counts of the indictment. These counts were conspiracy counts and I do think, having gone through the evidence, or as much as was available to me, the Crown has been well advised to accept the plea of autofsols convict. That simply means, and it is well probably the public should know, that in respect to these two counts, in the indictment to which they have pleaded they have been tried in a judge, court, convicted and sentenced and they should not again be placed on trial here. These counts have been disposed of in the courts of Alberta and the accused have been sentenced in that court. With that we have nothing to do."

"As pointed out by Mr. Tilley, special Crown prosecutor, the Ontario Government has assisted in the prosecution in the west—the books of the company were taken from here, from this province, and were used in the trial, and a deal of evidence was given of transactions that were carried on in the province of Ontario, and on that evidence and other evidence the accused were convicted. Further complications, might, and likely would, in the course of trial have arisen even as has been suggested the plea of autofsols convict could not technically prevail."

NO PERSECUTION

"Having regard to all the circumstances, having regard further to the fact that there is the duty of the Crown to act fairly and prosecute when they think an offender should be prosecuted, it is equally the duty of the Crown to see the prosecution does not turn into a persecution. I have no doubt whatever that the learned Crown counsel in accepting, as I think he properly accepted, the plea of autofsols convict has been guided by the wisest motive, his desire to place the case to rest. The accused should not be placed in peril a second time or tried again for an offence, in respect of which they have been convicted."

"The acceptance of this plea simply means that Solloway and Mills are not guilty as far as this court is concerned on the two counts that have been charged, namely the first and second counts of conspiracy. "Coming to the third count in the indictment to which they have pleaded guilty it is well to bear in mind in respect to this count, and possibly I had better read it: 'That the accused did within the province of Ontario in the years 1928, 1929 and 1930, with the intent to make gain or profit in the rise or fall in price of the stocks of incorporated companies, did make or sign or authorize to be made or signed contracts or agreements, oral or written, purporting to be for the sale or purchase of such shares of stock in respect of which no delivery of the shares or stocks sold or purchased was made or received and without the bona fide intention to make or receive such delivery.' This constitutes an offence under Section 231 of the Criminal Code."

FOURTH COUNT

"It is well to remember, that the fourth count in the Alberta indictment and in respect to which they were found guilty was for conspiring to commit an indictable offence under section 231. I know of no law which would prevent the Crown where there has been a conviction for conspiracy to commit an indictable offence from laying a substantive charge. Further, as the count four, conspiracy to commit an indictable offence, the offence was committed in Alberta, evidence was furnished from Ontario. The books of the company were sent there and evidence, no doubt, was considered by the court when determining the guilt

of the prisoners. It is, indeed, very rare that a substantive charge is laid after the accused has been found guilty of a conspiracy to commit the offence. It is true there is nothing to prevent the court from so proceeding, but that practice, having regard to the authorities, is not encouraged, in fact, it is discouraged by the courts. I have this to consider, though I am not affected by it for the reason that the accused have pleaded guilty to this charge."

STRANGE CASE

"Mr. Solloway has stated that the accused are solvent; that no client has lost money by reason of transactions with them; that no stock which has been purchased by customers has ever been refused. I have given this consideration. All the circumstances in connection with the matter are extraordinary and special, and in respect to the 'gaming charge' to which they pleaded guilty. They have been sentenced in Alberta for conspiring to commit the offence of which they are here charged, and as I have before stated, this practice is most unusual and not to be encouraged. The circumstances are so extraordinary and special that I am hardly conscious of the same set of circumstances arising in any other case."

"In respect to the accused Mills, I have accepted Mr. Solloway's statement that he has been connected with the company since 1928 only as a nominal shareholder; that he had nothing whatever to do with the active control of the firm the same being entirely in the hands of the accused Solloway. For this reason I am drawing a distinction between the guilt of the accused."

"I think having regard to all the circumstances, the ends of justice will be met by imposing upon the accused Solloway a fine of \$200,000, he to remain in custody until such fine is paid and that is the sentence of the court."

"The sentence of the court upon you, Mills, is that you pay a fine of \$50,000 and that you remain in custody until such time as the fine is paid. "Finally, I have only one more statement to make, and that is, in view of all the circumstances, the difficulties that were in the way of the Crown, having further regard to the fact that the accused have already been found guilty and sentenced in the courts of Alberta, I think and say the Crown is well advised in living up to the highest traditions of criminal practice in accepting this plea, which they have accepted, on the first two counts."

AVERAGE DAIRY REVENUE BELOW AVERAGE COST

Regina, Dec. 1.—That the average price received by Saskatchewan dairymen does not equal the average cost of production is the conclusion reached by Dr. E. G. Miner, Cornell University agricultural expert employed by the Provincial Government to conduct a survey of the Saskatchewan dairy industry, in a report he has just completed for the trustees of the Saskatchewan Agricultural Research Foundation.

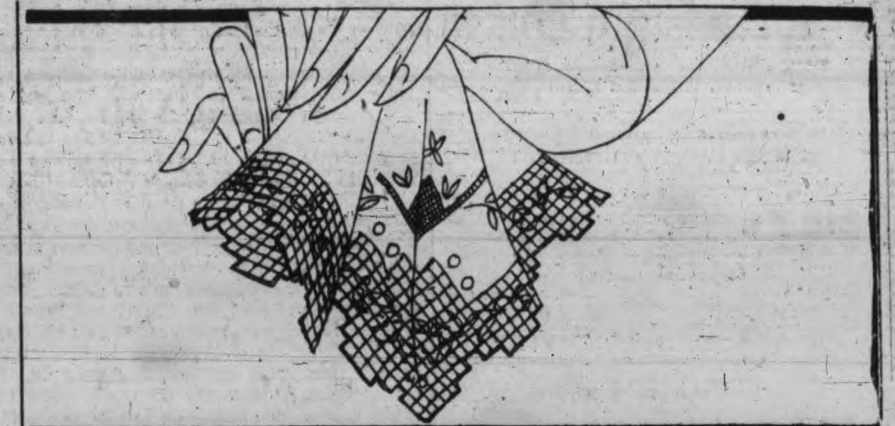
The average return per hour in the production of market milk, after all costs have been paid, is twelve cents, while the average return for labor in the production of cream is two cents. Dr. Miner finds that the general conditions determining the general price received for dairy products extend beyond the borders of Saskatchewan, Dr. Miner believes the only thing that will raise this level will be improved demand and reduced supply. The scope of the survey embraces the whole of the province and information contained in the report was gathered from more than 1,358 dairy farms, 255 farms selling milk at wholesale prices, 236 farms selling milk to the cities of Regina, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw and Prince Albert, in addition to 81 dairy plants classified according to the type of product.

PALESTINE DISCUSSION

London, Dec. 1.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, Liberal leader, has sent a letter to Bernard Janner, the party's candidate in the Whitechapel by-election, charging his pledge given to the Jewish race in regard to Palestine when he was Prime Minister—a pledge embodied in the British mandate declaration which promised Palestine to the Jews. Since the declaration has been ignored and jeopardized by the recent white paper on Palestine issued by the MacDonald Government.

ROBBERY IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—The City Lumber Company here was robbed of \$50,000 Sunday evening. Three armed hold-up men surprised the late working staff, bound them, and escaped with the contents of the till.

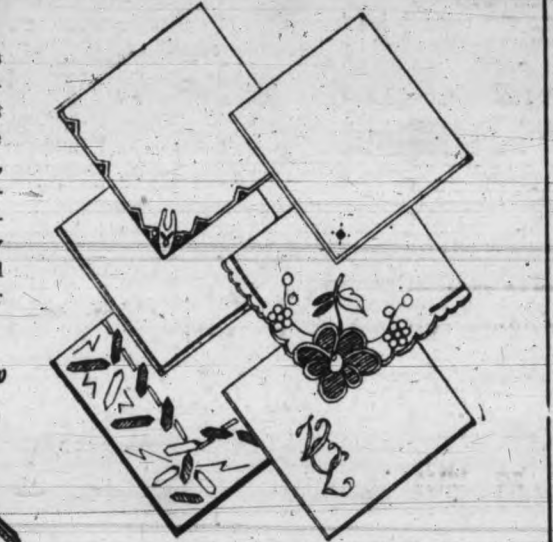


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John Henry Cragg Succumbed
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Knocked Down By Auto

John Henry Cragg, self-styled 'Mayor of Leechtown' and one of the most picturesque figures of Victoria's hinterland, met with a tragic end on Saturday afternoon. Struck down by a car driven by W. Roy, 2615 Forbes Street, as he was crossing Esquimalt Road at 5:15 o'clock near the C.N.R. depot in company with C. G. Pemberton, the old man sustained a fracture of the cheekbone and a depressed fracture of the skull over the right eye. Rushed to the Jubilee Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. E. L. McNiven, Mr. Cragg failed to rally and succumbed to his injuries at 7:10 p.m.

According to the report given to the police of the accident, Mr. Roy, driver of the car, swerved to avoid hitting a pedestrian and in doing so knocked down Mr. Cragg, causing the injuries which proved fatal.

INTERESTING PERSONALITY

The death of John Henry Cragg reveals an interesting personality and closes a versatile career. Born in Blackpool, England, seventy-five years ago, John Henry Cragg early in life became associated with the stage. First he appeared with H. B. Irving's company and later with Robert B. Mantell, at that time a struggling actor in the provinces, and subsequently appeared in vaudeville with Robert Jamieson, one of the most popular vaudeville stars of his day.

About fifty years ago, Mr. Cragg came out to Canada, and for a time worked a homestead near Brandon, Manitoba. It was in 1896 that he first visited Leechtown where he was much impressed with the beauty of the scenery and the romantic lure of the stories of the mining days of the 'sixties and 'seventies.

But in the meantime he held positions as janitor at the Victoria Theatre, then at The Times Building and subsequently at the Post Office. While in the service of the Dominion Government service he received the injuries which secured him a pension. It was not until eight years ago that Cragg was able to realize his dream of living at Leechtown, where he went first as a retired janitor and subsequently styled himself 'Mayor of Leechtown.'

In these beautiful surroundings, the old man indulged to the full in his love of nature, writing poems and cultivating a simple philosophy of life which endeared him to a host of friends.

On the occasion of his seventy-fifth birthday last summer, the Alpine Club gave a tea in his honor at the Lake of the Seven Hills, and the rugged little 'mayor' trudged eleven miles over a rough mountain trail to attend the event, then home again.

APPOINTMENT SOON TO CANADA'S LEGATION IN U.S.

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Dec. 1.—The Cabinet is again nearing full strength in Ottawa. For a time many of the ministers were out of town. Last week, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice, and Hon. C. H. Cahan, Secretary of State, returned from London. Hon. T. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, will be back to-day from his trip overseas. Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Fisheries, returned Saturday from Western Canada. Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration, and Hon. Murray MacLaren, Minister of Pensions and Health, are still in the West.

The appointment of Hon. Howard Ferguson, Premier of Ontario, to be Canadian High Commissioner in Great Britain, was the outstanding development of the last week. Attention now turns naturally to the Washington post and many rumors are on foot as to who will be appointed to succeed Hon. Vincent Massey as Canadian Minister to the United States. It is expected action by the Government will be delayed until Mr. Bennett returns from Europe.

Liquor Charges Heard at Nelson

Nelson, B.C., Dec. 1.—Six places of business, three hotels and three stores, here were raided by a detachment of provincial police numbering fifteen men late Saturday evening. Evidence of alleged infraction of the Liquor Act had been reported at all places visited. Nelson's liquor raids by the provincial officers came after similar raids in Kelowna, Kaslo and Rossland in the last few months. Nelson is policed by its own police department and the raid conducted by the provincial officers followed orders received from Victoria.

SEARCH FAILS
Ketchikan, Alaska, Dec. 1.—The United States coastguard cutter Cygan returned here yesterday after a week's unsuccessful search for Pilot Robin Renahan, Sam Clerk, wealthy Seattle mining man, and Frank Hatcher, mechanic, who disappeared in this region October 26 in a seaplane. Both shores of the Portland Canal were explored. The two naval planes from San Diego were unable to participate in the search yesterday because of unfavorable weather.

TWO HUNTERS KILLED

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Two men were killed in week-end deer-hunting fatalities on the prairies. In both cases, hunters fired into wooded areas and shot men mistaken for animals.

ROBBER IS HUNTED

Regina, Dec. 1.—Police are searching for an armed man who held up Harvey Moody, proprietor of a Regina butcher shop, and took from the cash register of the shop \$9.50 in bills and silver at 9:15 p.m. Saturday.

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GOOD BUSINESS

THE APPROVAL BY THE RATEPAYERS

The approval by the ratepayers of the by-laws authorizing a new manufacturing building and other improvements at the exhibition grounds and certain additions to the fire-fighting apparatus would be good business for the city. As the provincial government has undertaken to contribute half of the amount of the interest and sinking fund on the amount to be borrowed for the exhibition improvements, and Oak Bay has increased its contribution for fire protection by \$3,500, the net annual cost of both outlays to the city will be about \$4,000.

This would be less than the cost of keeping the present manufacturing building and other facilities at the Willows in proper condition, on the one hand, and in repairs for the old fire-fighting equipment it is proposed to replace, on the other.

The indirect saving would be much more under both heads. Adequate facilities for our annual exhibition will not only increase the number of exhibitors and the revenue from this source, but also will attract a larger attendance of the public. Proper fire-fighting equipment always supplies its own argument, which becomes especially pertinent in this instance when an adjoining municipality makes a substantial grant towards the cost of it.

A STERLING CITIZEN PASSES

MR. A. C. FLUMERFELT WAS WELL known throughout Canada as a successful man of business and an ardent champion of Canadian progress under many heads. He came to Victoria forty-four years ago, and by unusual ability, zeal and energy won his way to prominence in the business life of the community which extended beyond the boundaries of this province in many directions. Not many British Columbia financial men were as widely known in such centres as Montreal and Toronto as he was; certainly none was more highly respected. He had many interests and was actively connected with the directorates of some of Canada's outstanding corporations, which attached especial value to his business acumen and sound judgment.

For many years he was an active member of the Victoria Board of Trade, later the Chamber of Commerce. He also identified himself with many worthy causes not related directly to business activities. He had the gift of making friends, and those whom he numbered as such valued his friendship highly. They will miss his cheery smile and the fund of good humor that made him popular wherever he went.

Although Mr. Flumerfelt had passed his three score years and ten, he appeared to be in excellent health until quite recently; as active as most men many years his junior. He was interested in many forms of sport, fond of the out-of-doors, an ardent devotee of golf. In these circles, also, a deep sense of loss will be felt through his passing.

WHO ACCUSES EXCUSES

THE PREMIER'S ATTEMPT TO HOLD the MacLean government responsible for the troubles of his own administration, in his speech to the Conservative meeting at Penitence on Saturday, limped like a lame duck. Not only will it not recover any of the ground the present government has lost in the confidence of the public, but on account of the confession of incapacity it implies it is likely to weaken the ministry's position further. Everybody knows that it is now more than two years since the MacLean government went out of office, that the present government has had ample time to do something worth while on its own account, and that blaming the other side is no convincing excuse for the inadequacy of Premier Tolmie's own record.

The recent cabinet changes were so many admissions that the government to its own knowledge has made a botch of the business of the province. Why were Mr. Shelly, Mr. Burden and Mr. Loughheed shifted? Because of the imperfections of the MacLean government more than two years ago? Are other ministerial changes contemplated for the same reason? Not at all. Those changes were made and others are contemplated because the government has been under fire for failing to make good. The Premier cannot justify his increases of taxation, his budgeted expenditure of \$28,000,000 this year against an estimated revenue of \$25,000,000 by blaming the MacLean government. What, for instance, had the MacLean government to do with the substitution of three liquor board commissioners at \$30,000 a year, for one commissioner at \$12,000? The Premier modestly took credit for the transfer of the railway belt and the Peace River block to the province. If he had been as frank and fair as he should have been, he would have admitted that the negotiations for this were initiated with the Mackenzie King government by the Oliver and MacLean governments and that it was during their administration that the agreement for the transfer was reached between Ottawa and Victoria.

THE NEW HIGH COMMISSIONER

TO FILL THE VACANCY CAUSED BY the death last February of Hon. P. C. Larkin, Hon. Howard Ferguson, Premier of Ontario since 1923 and prominent in the public life of that province for a quarter of a century, shortly will go to London as Canada's High Commissioner. Hon. Vincent Massey, formerly this Dominion's first minister to the United States, had been appointed by the King government to the post in Britain; but since the new ministry at Ottawa felt that the incumbent of this

important office should be sympathetic toward its policies, the only course open to Mr. Massey was to tender his resignation, which he did.

Mr. Ferguson will follow in the footsteps of a number of prominent Canadians who have filled the post of High Commissioner in London with ability and dignity. Sir A. T. Galt was the first to be appointed to the office. Then came Sir Charles Tupper, Lord Strathcona, Sir George Perley and Mr. P. C. Larkin. Of interest to recall at this time is the fact that it was during the regime of the late High Commissioner that the government's quarters in London were moved from the old Victoria House at the corner of the metropolis. First the offices were moved to Kinnaird House at the eastern end of Pall Mall, and then to Canada House on the west side of Trafalgar Square. Under this one roof, in contrast with the old arrangement, practically the whole of the Dominion government's business in London now is conducted. Mr. Ferguson will have the benefit of Mr. Larkin's complete reorganization of the department.

Mr. Ferguson will take to his task a wide experience in public life, a thorough understanding of Canadian conditions, and a driving force which may not be gained. He will be by no means a stranger in a strange land. Whether the exchange of the hurly-burly of political life for the comparative tranquility of Canada House will agree with his boundless energy we are not in a position to say. In any event, he is leaving the Premiership of Canada's most populous province on the crest of his political wave. The country's best wishes will go with him to his new sphere of activity.

A TIT-FOR-TAT BUSINESS

THE MANITOBA FREE PRESS QUOTES

A part of a letter from an English manufacturer which The Toronto Globe recently published to give an idea of the effect upon British opinion of the substitution of the Bennett policy for the Dunning tariff. It reads as follows:

It has very considerably weakened the sympathy movement which was going forward for a tariff on corn. Everywhere it is mentioned, the question of the last tariffs is brought forward as an argument against doing anything whatever.

The Free Press also has seen a communication from an English manufacturer to a business house in Winnipeg in which the statement is made without reservation that because of the loss of markets in Canada, long held by this firm and other firms engaged in the same line of manufacture, there will be a falling-off in the purchases of Canadian wheat. "Evidently this is no idle threat," The Free Press says, and "Mr. Bennett has started something, the end of which no one can foresee."

These comments remind us, incidentally, of some home truths which a writer in The Atlantic Monthly tells his countrymen about the fallacy of the American tariff wall. Here are some of them:

The essence of trade is exchange; the prerequisite to sales is purchasing power. America cannot sell abroad if she doesn't buy abroad; foreign countries cannot pay for American goods unless they can dispose of their own. It seems highly probable that within the next few years America may discover that, for a country at her present stage of development, protection and prosperity do not necessarily go together.

Yet, in spite of what has been taking place in the United States for nearly two years, Mr. Bennett called a special session of Parliament to increase the Canadian tariff to restore prosperity—and, of course, to end unemployment.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING

The London Observer

Lady Astor—We must have absolute freedom of the press.
Edward A. Filene—The cure for unemployment is through the lessening of work, not through any system which makes unnecessary work necessary.
Abbe Ernest Dimmet—While the weak count in the priest's prayer they do not count in the philosopher's estimate.

Lord Thomas R. Dewar—Minds are like parachutes; they only function when they are open.
Zane Grey—One can be more moved by a puppy of one's own than by anybody else's lion.
Havelock Ellis—The instinct of religion develops earlier in the history of a race than the instinct of science.

WRITING SPOOLS SPEECH

The Boston Transcript

The English have a settled conviction that writing spoils speech, and to this tradition the visiting British jurists held firm during all of their American tour from the day, early in August, when they landed in Quebec, until the day when they sailed homeward from Boston. Several scores of public addresses were called upon to deliver—many quite brief, but also many at length—yet for almost none of them was any text prepared in Boston. If a man has remarks to make after dinner, Oxford and Cambridge give counsel, let him by no means set them down before eating, on pain that his premeditated thoughts may seem stilted and savorless when taken after dessert.

Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

The Victoria Daily Times, December 1, 1905

Delegates, representing the F.Y.M.A., V.W.A.A., Y.M.C.A., Cloverdale Athletic Association and the Fifth Regiment, attended a meeting of the Victoria Basketball Association, held last evening at the Y.M.C.A. rooms, Broad Street. W. Fairall was elected to the chair.

There is not much new to relate in connection with the arrival of the steamer Queen City from West Coast ports last evening. As expected the steamer brought no word of the schooner Fawn.

Boatmen assembled in large numbers at the Victoria Hotel last evening for the purpose of celebrating St. Andrew's Day.

Weather Forecast—Victoria and Vicinity—Easterly winds, unsettled, with occasional sleet or rain.

The Victoria Fire Department received only three calls last month, the total loss for November being \$2,000.

Speaking at the lunch of the new C.P.R. liner Empress of Britain in Glasgow on November 11, Arthur Piers stated that it was a very curious coincidence that exactly twenty years ago, on November 11, he had accompanied a party of five to the heart of British Columbia mountains, and he had a hand at driving the last spike that connected the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans by means of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Loose Ends

News comes from next door about an impending event—A civic affront is explained—And a Brooklyn baker finds out something about human nature.

By H. B. W.

THE LITTLE girl from next door was over just now, and her brown eyes were dancing with excitement. You see, she was too young last Christmas to know what it was all about, but in the last few weeks she has been slowly grasping the significance of Santa Claus, of Christmas trees, stockings hung at the fireplace and all that sort of thing. "Auntie Clara is coming to-morrow," she said very solemnly, evidently under the impression that the old gentleman is one of her numerous maiden aunts. "Auntie Clara brings dolls and cackers and teddy bears and dolls and oranges and nuts and cakes and mince pies and a curious sort of thing called a turkey." The little girl from next door planted herself opposite my fireplace and regarded it intently for several minutes. Finally she said: "It's too tiny! Maybe he gets stuck coming down." And so distressing was this possibility that she hurried home to warn her mother about it.

AND SO we find ourselves out of our way facing once more the ever-recurrent miracle of Christmas and the miraculous survival of Santa Claus. Everything else, 'till the old gods, have gone by the boards. Everything we used to tie to in the old days has been rooted up and thrown aside and yet Santa Claus, the most unlikely of them all, continues to exist in spite of us. None of us grows-up look forward to Christmas with any pleasure. Most of us would gladly miss it altogether. It is a nuisance and an expense, and yet there is not one man with soul so dead who will deny the existence of Santa Claus to a little girl two years old. Nay, the harder-boiled we are the more we vie with one another in insisting that the Santa Claus indeed is coming, and the older we get the more we begin to think that perhaps there may be something in it after all. For by the ordinary processes of logic and the known laws of the universe you cannot possibly explain why men who have been pretty rough with humanity the rest of the year all of a sudden grow weak-minded and spend their money on foolish presents, and tell the neighbors' children of the old man who will soon come down the chimney in the most impossible fashion. Somehow, as we grow old, the rejected gods of our childhood come stealing back on us and make us do the strangest things, quite unawares.

THE OTHER night, from a sense of outraged civic virtue and injured community pride, I felt it necessary to protest against an article in a Vancouver paper describing the old Tolmie estate at Cloverdale. I objected, you may remember, to a photograph which showed a picture of the Prime Minister's home, with an ash tree in front of it, not because there was anything wrong with the picture but because the ash tree was called a lordly sequoia, or California redwood. Such was the outrage, so gross the reflection on the inevitable sequoia, that I felt I dealt with the matter in stronger terms than are usually permitted in a column devoted to gentleness and humility. Apparently the lady journalist of Victoria who wrote the article was distressed and confounded. I had a long letter from her to-day explaining the circumstances, and to be fair, they seem to exonerate her from all blame. She assures us that she wrote the article but had nothing to do with the photograph of the ash tree, which was labeled a sequoia, and she is quite broken up over it.

THE RESPONSIBILITY, therefore, rests with the Vancouver newspaper, and as there are no sequoias in Vancouver to my knowledge, I suppose it didn't know what an offense it was committing. As a matter of fact, I have got over the first shock of it and am going on living much as before, but you cannot expect the proud owner of a magnificent sequoia to take it so easily. Between ourselves, the owner of this sequoia told me about it with such an evident sense of bereavement that I almost broke down and wept with him. He assured me again and again that, despite the picture, there was indeed a sequoia standing to the right outside the range of the camera, and in case anyone has any doubt about it, I am able to confirm the statement by personal observation. There is indeed a sequoia in this beautiful old garden, a sequoia planted as a seed by the first Dr. Tolmie and now some fifty feet in height. And yet, as sequoias go, it is still a baby, and long after the Tolmie Government and this column and many other of our strongest institutions have disappeared, it will be still growing there despite every journalistic conspiracy against it. All of which may interest you, but I doubt it.

AN AMAZING story of the present depression has just come from Brooklyn, the teeming suburb of New York. As printed in The Christian Science Monitor, it recalls that famous story of Queen Marie Antoinette and the Paris mob. You recall that when the mob surged about the gates of Versailles and asked her courtiers what they wanted. When she was told they wanted bread she told her attendants to give them bread. They replied that there was no bread. "Very well, then," said the queen. "Give them cake!" Well, the modern parallel of this tale concerns a Brooklyn baker, who, being a kindly man, was distressed to hear that many of his fellow citizens were hungry. Accordingly, he baked 800 loaves of bread and started out with two helpers to give them away. Incredibly enough, he could not give them away. One woman, who said

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Victoria, 5 a.m., Dec. 1.—The barometer has fallen on the northern coast, and unsettled weather is becoming general on Vancouver Island and the lower Mainland. Zero temperatures are reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.07; temperature, maximum yesterday 45, minimum 39; wind, 4 miles N.E.; rain, .03; cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday 42, minimum 32; wind, 4 miles S.W.; rain, .03; raining.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 44; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, .50; raining.
Evelyn Point—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday 48, minimum 44; wind, 18 miles S.E.; rain, .20; raining.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 42; wind, 22 miles E.; rain, .25; raining.
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 36; wind, 4 miles S.; cloudy.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday 42, minimum 32; wind, 10 miles S.W.; rain, trace; raining.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 32; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .01; cloudy.

Temperature
Victoria
Vancouver
Kamloops
Prince George
Skeena
Los Angeles
Penticton
Grand Forks
Vernon
Nelson
Saskatoon
Calgary
Edmonton
Moose Jaw
Winnipeg
Toronto
Ottawa
Montreal
St. John
Halifax
Dawson

Forecast
Victoria and vicinity for 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday: increasing southerly winds, unsettled and mild with occasional rain.

WHEAT UNTHRESHED

Prince Albert, Dec. 1.—Between ten and fifteen per cent of Northern Saskatchewan's wheat is still unthreshed, according to a report issued by the Soldier Settlement Board here. Thousands of acres of grain will remain under snow till spring. A great deal of wheat, threatened since the recent mild spell, has graded damp and tough, the report adds.

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The convention was notable for the interest evinced in Victoria and the mild climatic conditions existing on the Northwest Pacific Coast. At the time the streets of Winnipeg were snow-bound and below zero temperatures prevailed.

Major Smith showed moving pictures of the highways of British Columbia. The convention re-elected George I. Warren as first vice-president and Major Smith, with Charles Webster of Vancouver, were elected to the directorate of the association.

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Round Steak, lb., 19¢; Sirloin Steak, lb.,.....25¢
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NEW FAIR BUILDINGS AIM AHEAD

Need For More Space Shown By W. H. Mearns, Secretary of Exhibition Here

Would Pay For Expenditure With Increased Revenues, Fair Secretary Declares

Confident that the voters of Victoria will support the by-law to have new horse show stock judging and manufacturers buildings constructed at the fair grounds as soon as they become aware of the necessity for them, W. H. Mearns, secretary of the Provincial Exhibition, has started an active campaign to familiarize the electors with the proposition.

Already, Mr. Mearns pointed out, all available space has been rented for next year's fair, and many who wish to exhibit their wares and stock will be unable to secure stalls unless new buildings are constructed.

The project calls for a \$70,000 expenditure, \$35,000 of which will be met by the Provincial Government, it is understood.

Not only would the increase in size of the buildings allow more exhibitors to display their produce and stock, but the extra number of those entering the various sections of the fair would increase the revenue by rental money and larger attendances, Mr. Mearns claims.

NEW PLANS

The plans for the proposed new buildings are already complete, having been prepared on the basis of what has been demonstrated as the need. The manufacturers' building, to be built at a cost of \$30,000, will be 30 by 200 feet, and will be situated at the south end of the grounds, where the old racetrack was before its removal this year. The horse show building, which will cost \$40,000, will measure 200 by 300 feet. The actual measurement of the horse show ring will be 76 feet by 186. The ring will be used for horse show and judging purposes, as well as stock parades at night.

The existing horse show building and other fair buildings date back about twenty-five years, having been erected at a time when the city was much smaller. Those responsible for the move to secure new buildings maintain that even if the need for new buildings were not so obvious, it might be deemed time to have some additions commensurate with the city's growth and the increased importance of the fair.

TO BEAUTIFY GROUNDS

"If the by-law passes, we want to beautify the grounds by removing the old horse show building and putting the carnival and side shows and attractions down where the building is at the present time. This will be an improvement," Mr. Mearns stated.

He further maintained that the increase in size of the Manufacturers' Buildings would give the makers of products in Victoria an opportunity to display their manufactures such as they have never had before.

The idea of erecting the new Manufacturers' Building arose about two years ago, as the result of a meeting held by the industrial group of the Chamber of Commerce. At this group approached the British Columbia Agricultural Association asking if a building could be supplied for the display of their wares. The fair authorities were at that time unable to give any assistance owing to the crowded condition of the existing buildings. Premier Tolmie and Provincial Government were interviewed, and agreed to give \$35,000. The city was asked to give an equal amount, while reserving the advantage of being able to expend \$70,000 at a time when the unemployment problem is most acute.

TO TALK ON PROJECT

Service clubs are being appealed to for permission to give short talks on the by-law between now and December 11, the date when voting is to take place. It is felt by those responsible for the undertaking to erect the new buildings, that if business men of the city are made thoroughly conversant with the facts they will stand wholeheartedly behind the by-law.

Among the big holders in the new building will be The Sidney Roofing and Paper Co. Ltd., David Spencer Ltd., Litchfield Ltd., Baker Brick and Tile Co. Ltd., Central Creameries Ltd., British America Paint Co. Ltd., Victoria Bed and Mattress Co. Ltd., Holm Packing Co. Ltd., the Brackman-Ker Milling Co. Ltd. and the B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd.

German Complaints Against Poland Stated Unfounded

Warsaw, Dec. 1.—Officials and the press of Poland yesterday criticized the complaint which Germany Saturday presented to the League of Nations regarding alleged maltreatment of Germans in the recent Polish elections. Officials said "terrorism" in Upper Silesia, as charged by the Germans, would have diminished the size of the vote in that province had it happened, whereas Silesia actually polled ninety per cent. of its vote and thereby set a record for the district.

The German press was accused of deliberately exaggerating incidents of the balloting in Silesia, which was German territory before the Great War.

Sooke

Mrs. P. Grainger entertained at her home on Friday evening with seven tables of five hundred, the prizes being awarded to Miss Gladys Grainger and H. Goodrich. Consolation prizes were given Mrs. R. Kirby and W. Muir. Refreshments were served by the hostess after which games were played. Those present were: Mrs. P. Grainger, Mrs. F. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Helgesen, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. J. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson, G. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Acreman, G. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Acreman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dick, Misses G. Grainger, L. Grainger, A. McBride, E. Pink, Messrs. H. Goodrich, J. Collins, W. Muir, G. Revell, H. Pontius, E. Gray.

The semi-monthly card party given under the auspices of the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute will be held at the Bellevue Hotel on Wednesday evening.

December Sale of Silks and Silk Dresses

Many Other Good Values for Early Christmas Shoppers



Three Great Bargains in DRESSES

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Smart Style Dresses of flat crepe, skirts flared or pleated. The bodies varied by boleros and contrasting cuffs and collars.

Wine, green, brown, navy and black; sizes 14 to 44. **\$4.75**

Dresses of all-silk crepe and satin, in tunic and other smart styles. Skirts pleated and flared. Scarlet, wine, blue, brown, green, black and brown. Sizes 14 to 46. On sale for **\$8.75**

Beautiful Dresses of fine satin-back crepe and Canton crepe. One and two-piece styles, and shown in all shades. Sizes 14 to 46. These most unusual bargains at **\$13.75**



Girls' Jersey Skirts

Knife-pleated Skirts of fine quality jersey, made on white cotton bodies. In Saxe, fawn, almond, navy or scarlet. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Each, at **\$2.50**

All-wool Jersey Cloth Skirts, made with knife pleats and white cotton bodies. In scarlet, fawn, navy, green or blue. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Each **\$2.95**

—Children's Wear, First Floor



Gloves Are Welcome Gifts

Novelty Suede Fabric Gloves with fancy embroidered cuffs or smart tailored styles. A pair, **59c to \$1.50**

Washable Capeskin Gloves with one dome clasp or in pull-on style. A pair, **\$1.95 to \$3.50**

Washable French Kid or Suede Gloves in popular pull-on styles. All newest shades. A pair **\$2.95**

Novelty French Kid Gloves in a choice range of fancy cuff designs. A pair, from **\$1.95 to \$4.50**

Six-button Mousquetaire Washable Suede Gloves—for afternoon or evening wear. A pair **\$3.50**

Wool-lined Capeskin and Mocha Gloves—some with smart fur-trimmed cuffs. A pair, **\$2.50 to \$4.50**

Fur-lined Capeskin-Gloves, ideal for driving. A pair, **\$4.50 and \$7.50**

Scotch Wool Gloves in seamless knit; 100% wool—with fancy stripe cuff designs. A pair, **79c and \$9.95**

French Grace Kid Gloves in regulation wrist length style with one or two dome clasps. A pair, **\$2.25 to \$2.95**

Washable French Suede Gloves in regulation wrist length. A pair **\$2.75**

—Main Floor

Gift Lingerie

Nightgowns of lovely quality rayon silk—lace trimmed, with satin ribbon ties. In peach, Nile, mauve, pink, champagne and coral. Each, at **\$1.95**

Rayon Silk Lingerie Sets, consisting of brassiere and bobette, brassiere and pettiniek and vest and bobette. Pastel tinted. A set **\$1.95**

—Whitewear, First Floor

Our Christmas Stationery Is Now On Display

All kinds of the latest novelty boxes, containing good quality Stationery. Priced from a box, **\$2.50 to \$5.00**

Correspondence Cards, from **50c to \$1.00**

Also Christmas Correspondence Cards, priced from **50c to \$1.00**

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Corticelli Hosiery Superior in Quality and Appearance

Light Service-weight Silk Hose, for the business girl. They are full fashioned, with Slender heels and silk to garter hem. Fashionable shades; $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $10\frac{1}{2}$, a pair

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—Hosiery, Main Floor

Women's Indian Moccasins of Superior Quality

These genuine "Hiawatha" Moccasins are beautifully made with the best materials. Hair seal with moose hair trimming. Brown kid with burnt Indian head design. Brown elk or brown suede with beaded toes. All bound with fur. Appropriate gifts for your overseas friends. A pair **\$3.50**

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

Shoes for Women and Growing Girls

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A new shipment of Sport Oxfords for women and growing girls. Smart new designs in dark brown and black calf. Medium low heels. A pair **\$3.95**

—Lower Main Floor

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Best quality English Box Cloth Spats in the desired shades. Perfect fitting. A pair, **\$2.75 and \$3.50**

Men's Mule Slippers in patent leather, red, green or tan leathers. A pair, at **\$4.00**

—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

Men's Socks Of Fine Quality

Botany Wool and Rayon Silk Socks, fancy patterns in colors. Reinforced heels and toes. A pair **50c and 85c**

Botany Wool Socks in fancy patterns and diamond designs, reinforced heels and toes. A pair **55c**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Wide-end Silk Ties

English and Canadian makes. All neatly boxed for presentation. **75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



December Sale of Silks

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A well-woven pongee, suitable for Draperies or Children's Dresses, a yard **39c**

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An excellent quality Velvet in good shades and patterns. A yard **\$1.98**

36-inch Crepe Chiffon On Sale, a Yard, **\$1.98**

A dainty light silk fabric suitable for dresses; all shades. A yard **\$1.98**

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All silk fabric, in many patterns and a variety of shades. A yard, at **\$1.98**

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A dainty Satin for drapes, kimono, etc. Black, white, pink and blue. A yard **29c**

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A Silk in perfect weight for dresses. Brilliant colors and finish. A yard **\$1.98**

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A soft draping Crepe of fine texture. Black, white, eggshell, blue, jadeite, imperial blue and yellow. A yard **\$1.00**

36-inch Figured Silks Value, a Yard, **\$1.98**, for **\$1.00**

A Silk with a bright finish. Excellent quality and in attractive combination colors and newest patterns. A yard **\$1.00**

—Silks, Main Floor

Men's Gift Handkerchiefs

Initial Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, special value **50c**

Initial Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, each, **35c** Or 3 for **\$1.00**

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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Hold Sale of Work—Far West Assembly, No. 30, Canadian Daughters' League, held a successful sale of work and home cooking on Saturday afternoon in the New Thought Hall. Those in charge of the stalls were: Mrs. De-war, Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Cottell, needlework; Mrs. Cottell and Mrs. De-war, novelties; Mrs. Brien, home-cooking; Mrs. Dickinson and Mrs. Thompson, candy; Mrs. Wilson, tea; Mrs. Moore, fish pond.

Chapter to Meet—The Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.E., will meet in the headquarters, View Street, on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock. All members are asked to attend as important business will be discussed.

VICTORIA GIRL IS SUCCESSFUL AS ILLUSTRATOR

Miss Cynthia Clayton's Work in Demand in Britain and America

Young Local Artist's Work Praised By Royal Academician

Another young Victoria girl is making a name for herself in the world of art. Miss Cynthia Clayton, daughter of Lt.-Col. and Mrs. H. E. G. Clayton of Oak Bay, having met with considerable success in the field of book illustration. Her work has been very favorably received in London. Enthusiastically judged as unusually good by Fred Pegram, R.A., one of Great Britain's foremost black and white illustrators.

Miss Clayton, whose sole training in art had been with Mrs. Ina D. Unthoff of Victoria, with whom she studied for less than two years, has a very promising future as an illustrator. She has already received commissions from several London publishing houses, also from Raphael Tuck and Blackie and Company of Glasgow, Scotland. The firms of Samuel A. C. Todd, and Wm. Baird and Sons have also bought and reproduced her work.

On this side of the water she has received commissions for book illustrations from Messrs. Dent and Company of Toronto, and illustrations in color from Mrs. Rosamunde Bigge, Canadian authoress. Rous and Mann of Toronto have bought drawings for their "Canadian Artist Series" Christmas cards. In the States she has done magazine illustrations.

In 1928 Miss Clayton won the I.O.D.E. national-wide competition for the best Christmas card design depicting a typical Canadian scene.

Miss Clayton possesses a charming individuality which shows strongly in her work and gives it such appeal. Her technique for reproduction drawing is excellent, the line being clear and firm without losing its delicacy.

Victoria W.I. Plan Shower For Settlers

The November meeting of the members of Victoria Women's Institute was held in the new rooms of the institute, 105 Union Buildings, when a large number of members present and Mrs. J. S. Adam, president, in the chair.

The members decided to pay for the cost of covering the faded tapestry in the chairs in the sun room in the Jubilee Hospital, maintained by the institute at a cost of approximately \$20.

The sum of \$10 was voted to be sent to the Armistice Period-Red Cross fund.

Mrs. Coleman, convener of the Ways and Means Committee reported a successful Halloween tea and sale of work, held October 31, and a bridge party held November 13, and a concert will be held in the New Thought Hall, December 12, with a good programme, and a comedy sketch by the members of the institute. The convener of the tag day in aid of the Solarium reported the total collection, including three cheques for \$5, which had been made out direct to the Solarium, as \$74.44; after deducting \$23.37 for expenses, which included tags, paper, postage, and refreshments served the taggers, \$51.07 was sent to the Solarium. A letter of thanks from the directors of the Solarium was read to the meeting.

Mrs. Adam, official delegate to the recent district conference, gave a splendid report of the actual condition of the eyes, and our advice is often more important than glasses. No matter what your eye trouble may be, it is safe to consult us. If glasses are not required, we can intelligently and safely advise you. Give us the care of your eyesight.

News of Clubwomen

Canadian Daughters—The regular meeting of Far West Assembly No. 30 Canadian Daughters' League, was held on Thursday evening in the New Thought Hall. At 8 o'clock Mr. Reginald McKee gave a very interesting and instructive illustrated lecture on the value of the motion picture as a medium of education in schools. A scene of logging operations, taking place on Vancouver Island, was shown in detail, giving a vivid idea of the advantages of the film of subjects that are to be studied, inasmuch as the subjects can be illustrated in operation and pictures are more easily understood and remembered than written matter. At the close Mrs. Bark, convener of the education committee, thanked Mr. McKee on behalf of herself and the club, for his interesting lecture.

Friendly Help to Meet—The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock in rooms upstairs, Market Building, Comorant Street. All members are earnestly requested to be present, as matters of importance are to be considered.

Quiet Wedding at Esquimalt

Miss Elizabeth R. Innes Becomes Bride of Robert Love at Garrison Church

The marriage of Elizabeth Roberts, third daughter of Mrs. R. E. Innes of Victoria and the late Mr. Charles Innes, to Mr. Robert Love, third son of Mrs. G. Love of Elk Lake and the late Mr. Robert Love of "Cliffland," Ayrshire, Scotland, was solemnized quietly this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at St. Paul's Garrison Church, Esquimalt, Rev. F. C. Chapman performing the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. A. R. Wolfenden, and wore a smart frock of nigger brown tulle, crepe, fashioned on simple lines, and a hat of egg-shell felt. Her bouquet was composed of talliesman roses. She was attended by Mrs. Donald Leach of Santa Barbara, Cal., who wore a frock of green flat crepe with hat in suite, and carried a sheaf of pink carnations.

Little Miss Jane Bolton, niece of the bride, was the other attendant and was daintily in a frock of white net over pink silk, a pink silk sash and a poke bonnet.

The groom was supported by Mr. Robert Cran. The wedding music was played by Mr. Philip Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Love left on the afternoon boat for Seattle on a motor trip through Washington and Oregon states, and on their return to Vancouver Island will make their home in Victoria.

The bride is a graduate of the 1924 class of the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Junior I.O.D.E. Busy Preparing For Christmas

Eight new members were welcomed at the meeting of the Royal Bridge Chapter I.O.D.E. held on Friday afternoon at headquarters, with the regent, Mrs. Sydney Wood, in the chair. Mrs. J. Hebert Gillespie, Municipal regent, was present and gave an interesting talk to the children and pinned the badges on the new members whom she cordially welcomed into the order.

The Chapter decided to meet at the home of Mary Ann Peterson, Irving Road, on December 19 to make candy bags for inclusion in the Christmas hampers to be sent out by the order. They also voted \$10 to the furnishing funds of the Sea Cadets' new quarters.

Women's Canadian Club—The Women's Canadian Club at its meeting at the Empress Hotel to-morrow afternoon at 2:45 o'clock will hear an address by Col. Wilfred Boyce of Montreal, on English and French-Canadian Relations. Mrs. C. W. C. Wain and her two daughters will provide the music.

RED TAG SALE

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Men's Work or Sports Wrist Watches. cushion shape, with seven-on-needle strap. Chrome nickel finish. Fitted with fully guaranteed 12-jewel movement. Regular \$12.00. Sale \$6.95

Gent's Wrist Watches. Fine quality 15-ruby jeweled movements; luminous dials and hands. Latest style metal bracelets to match. Regular \$20.00. Sale \$9.95

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Ladies' Oblong-shaped Wrist Watches. Choice of white, green or red gold. Fine quality 15-ruby jeweled lever movements. Guaranteed. Regular \$18.00. Sale \$9.95

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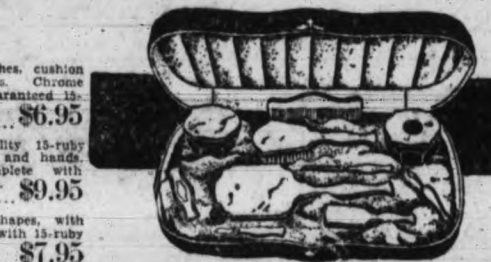
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George Goulding Will Act as Judge at Next Olympic Games.

FIDEL LA BARBA, retired flyweight champion, who on Friday night at Madison Square Garden gained an unpopular decision over Bud Taylor is one fighter who uses his brain as well as brawn in winning ring battles. The leading attributes major stars of the ring ascribe to their attained success are many, but when properly sifted it usually found that these given reasons revert to a common beginning. For not many stars of the ring have risen to success without the employment of a good portion of grey matter. In fact, in the majority of cases it has been those who were able to learn by early mistakes whom the boxing public has hailed as its foremost fighters and luminaries.

In this business of boxing, especially in this era, the man of meagre mental abilities is destined for a short-lived career. If he is a stout-hearted, not to mention strong-backed fellow, he may enjoy success for some time. But he can go only so far and then—oblivion. Genuine craftiness in the ring is a rare and gratifying thing to behold. It is a contributing factor in the make up of a champion, and one of the other factors he must possess, however, and that is craftiness outside the ring, which consists of planning and working out ways to a common defeat a particular opponent.

How many fighters, for instance, are able to reverse decisions in return bouts? Achieving victory after a previous defeat is a feat few are able to accomplish. By such the men who turn the tables on their opponents are not the gifted stars. They are the men who profit by their experiences and mistakes and embrace enough cleverness and capabilities to turn the tables in a second meeting.

In this rule we present La Barba. It is said of him that in return engagements, except in one instance, he has never failed to achieve victory. The exception is Jimmy McLarnin, another great comeback fighter. Fidel held McLarnin to a four round draw in 1924 and also lost a four round decision to Jimmy. In the following year dropped a ten round decision to the Vancouver boy.

The outstanding example, however, of La Barba's ability to profit by first meetings is to be found in the case of Kid Chocolate. A year ago Chocolate, then a California collegian and at the end of ten rounds the judges gave the bout to the Cuban brawler. After the bout La Barba confided to his pilot, the popular George Blake, in this way:

"George, if I ever get Chocolate into a ring again, mark my words, I'm going to romp off with the decision. I believe I've discovered the solution to his style."

It wasn't until a few weeks ago that La Barba and Chocolate met again and it's history now. The Coast collegian did romp off with the decision, being the first man to decisively defeat the Keed. La Barba fought Chocolate just as he had planned. He had learned from the decision, being the first man to decisively defeat the Keed. La Barba fought Chocolate just as he had planned. He had learned from the decision, being the first man to decisively defeat the Keed.

George Goulding, formerly of Vancouver, and holder of many records in heel-and-toe "mixing" has been signally honored in being chosen to act as judge of the walking events at the next Olympic Games to be held in Los Angeles in 1932. Goulding has been selected by the United States Amateur Athletic Union and it is regarded as a certainty he will be unanimously endorsed by Canada. Goulding, in 1912, won the championship of the world at 10,000 metres at the Olympic Games at Stockholm. He established a record that still stands.

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MONEY DOESN'T GO AS FAR AS IT USED TO—BUT IT STILL GOES.

LOTTO HOKUM

WON YOU NEVER KNOW IT BY LOOKING AT YOU!

THANKS TO "BUDDY" WATERLOO, ONT.

Maple Leafs Show Improved Form To Turn Back Falcons

Primeau, Bailey and Conacher Give Brilliant Exhibition As Toronto Defeats Detroit 4 to 2; Leafs Now Lead Ottawa By Three Points; Black Hawks Retain Unbeaten Record By 3 to 0 Victory Over Ottawa; Detroit and New York Americans Battle to 2-2 Draw In Only Sunday Fixture.

Canadian Press

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 1.—Both Toronto and Chicago, leaders of the Canadian and United States sections of the National Hockey League, increased their points advantage with victories over the week-end. The Leafs beat Detroit, 4 to 2, while the Black Hawks blanked Ottawa, 3 to 0.

CARNERA IS WINNER OVER WOODCHOPPER

Giant Italian Takes Decision From Paulino in Ten-round Bout at Barcelona

Decision Is Boomed and Fists Fights Break Out; 90,000 in Attendance

Barcelona, Dec. 1.—Primo Carnera, giant Italian heavyweight, outpointed Paulino Uzcudun, rugged Basque woodchopper, in a ten-round bout fought before 90,000 spectators here yesterday. Referee Moss Dejong cast the deciding vote after the two judges had disagreed.

There was some boozing when the official verdict was announced, and a few fist fights broke out among the few cholerics fans, but police had no difficulty controlling the crowd. Carnera's attempts to bring the fight to close quarters were frustrated by Carnera's tremendous reach and height. Carnera kept the rushing Spaniard at bay with straight rights and lefts throughout most of the fight. Carnera weighed 269½, Paulino 206½.

Carnera, with his long arms and tremendous height, controlled the pace in practically every round. Only at intervals could Paulino duck in close where he does his most effective work. The Associated Press scored the fight, crediting Carnera with winning the first, second, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth rounds, and Paulino the fifth and sixth, with the third even.

The gate was estimated at 1,000,000 pesetas, about \$110,000. Carnera, a Spanish bantamweight champion, won a ten-round decision from the Briton, Kid Socks. Jose Girones, Spanish featherweight titleholder, stopped Jack Kirby of England in the fourth round of another ten-round.

STRACK WINS OVER DONOVAN

Oklahoma Heavyweight Earns Right to Meet Lewis By Victory Saturday

Charlie Strack, Oklahoma heavyweight wrestler, will meet Ed "Strangler" Lewis, former world champion, here next Saturday night in a bout to be staged at the Tillamook gymnasium. Strack earned the right to meet Lewis by defeating Wild Bill Donovan, San Francisco, in their eight-round bout staged at the gymnasium on Saturday evening. Strack gained the only fall of the bout in the sixth round following a series of headlocks.

Donovan, who was forced to give away several pounds, put up a great battle against Strack and for five rounds had the best of the argument. Several times the Golden Gate grappler had Strack in a bad way only to have the bell sound. At the start of the sixth round, Strack was pinned to the mat for the only fall of the encounter.

In the five-round semi-windup Sammy Vangler, Seattle, won against Jack Gardner, two falls out of three. Gardner took the first fall on a foul, with Vangler taking the next two with a reverse body slam and a double step-over toehold.

Rocky Brooks efficiently refereed all bouts and won a great hand when, after a couple of warnings against Vangler for fouling, he took matters in his own hands, dragged the Seattle boy off his opponent, and awarded a fall against him.

La Granja Winner

Auteuil, France, Dec. 1.—Running over a slow track, La Granja, a 12-to-1 shot, won the Layhaye Jossell steeplechase yesterday. Brutus was second and Neugon, third. The race covered a distance of three miles, three and one-half furlongs, for all ages, and was worth \$5,000. Of the twelve starters, five fell or refused.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

F.C.H.L.									
	W.	L.	D.	P.	A.	P.	Goals	Points	
Portland	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	
Vancouver	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	
Seattle	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	
Tacoma	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	

N.H.L.									
	W.	L.	D.	P.	A.	P.	Goals	Points	
Toronto	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	
Ottawa	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	
Montreal	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	
Chicago	1	0	2	4	3	4	10	2	



WHEN PROCK LOWERY GOT EXCITED AND THREW HIS STICK FORWARDS, HE WASN'T KICKING AT ALL. HE GAVE OTTAWA THE GOAL AND NEWLY OUT-PICTURED OUT PLAY-OFFS.

SOMEONE'S THE GOAT

Even in the heat of hockey, mistakes will happen, and like the world's best ball series, there is usually a goat in a hockey playoff. Take, for instance, the case of "Prock" Lowery, now of Pittsburgh, late of Ottawa and Montreal. On this particular occasion, Mr. Lowery was the goat.

The line-up: Detroit—Dolson; Noble, Rockburn, Goodfellow, Lewis, Fillmore; subs, Hay, Aurie, Evans, McInerney, Sorrell, McKee, Cooper, Creighton, Hicks, Conacher, Hogner, Dye, Grant. Officials—Newton and Goodman.

Summary

First period: 1—Americans—Burch (Hayes), 14:22. Penalties—None. Second period: No score. Penalties—Himes, Rockburn, Dutton and McInerney. Third period: 2—Detroit—Noble (Fillmore), 15:40. Penalties—Carson (ten minute), Lewis, Burch and Rockburn.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Toronto Maple Leafs consolidated their position as leaders of the Canadian section of the National Hockey League, by defeating Detroit Falcons, 4-2, in a widely exciting tussle here Saturday evening. The Leafs scored two goals in the first period, only to have Falcons tie it up in the second. In the final period the Leafs scored their other two tallies.

Nine minute penalties were awarded, and Hay of Detroit drew an automatic double major for hooking Bailey of Toronto across the head in the last period.

Bailey and Conacher scored two goals each for the Leafs, with Primeau, Bailey and Conacher scored two goals each for the Leafs, with Primeau, Bailey and Conacher scored two goals each for the Leafs.

Summary

First period—1, Toronto, Bailey (Cotton), 14:2. Toronto, Conacher (Primeau), 16:40. Second period—3, Detroit, Cooper, 8:00. Detroit, Fillmore (Primeau), 5:21. Third period—6, Toronto, Conacher, 14:18.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Montreal Canadiens maintained their unbeaten record on Montreal ice this season by defeating Boston Bruins Saturday evening, 4-2, and avenging a defeat received at Boston last week.

The local squad, led by Howie Morenz, blanketing Boston's Aurel Joliat's stickhandling wizardry, were full value for the win, as one of the Boston goals was of the gift variety. It came on a long shot by Martin Barry, which rolled over Hainsworth's stick.

SOCCER TEAM FROM CANADA TO TOUR C.B.

Plans Being Made to Send Selected Team to Old Country in 1932

D.F.A. Would Not Favor Plan It Is Thought; Winnipeg Club Makes Arrangements

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Plans to send a selected soccer team from Canada on a tour of Great Britain are under way, it was revealed here yesterday evening. Sponsored by the Glasgow Association of Canada, the tour would be made in 1932 by players chosen from leading teams in both eastern and western Canada.

John Colvin, president of the Winnipeg Scottish Club, was named chairman of a committee to organize the tour. He said that the tour would be made in 1932 by players chosen from leading teams in both eastern and western Canada.

Stellar Punting Of Ab Box Gives Balmy Beach Title

Slim Dark-haired Youngster Plays Big Part in 8 to 5 Victory of Ontario Union Champions Over Hamilton Tigers in Eastern Football Final; Blocked Give Reid and Laddy Score Tries; 9,000 Watch Gruelling Struggle.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Balmy Beach, Ontario Rugby Football Union Champions, will represent eastern Canada in the Dominion football final here next Saturday instead of Hamilton Tigers, inter-provincial union monarchs. Surprising even their most ardent supporters by their splendid play, the Beaches earned their right at Varsity Stadium here Saturday by defeating the mighty jungle kings 8 to 5, in a gruelling struggle before some 9,000 fans.

The Hamiltonians, who were the defending champions, were defeated by the Beaches in a hard-fought battle. The Beaches' victory was a surprise to many, as they were considered underdogs.

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CRUSADERS WIN MATCH

Defeat Christ Church in Keen Badminton Fixture; League Lead Tied Up

Crusaders advanced into the first place with Duncan in the second Division of the Lower Island Badminton League by defeating Christ Church at the Memorial Hall on Saturday evening by a score of 10½ to 7½. Eleven of the eighteen matches were tied. The results follow with the Christ Church players being named first:

Men's Doubles

Fish and White drew with Cuthbert Holmes and R. Fort, 7-15, 15-15. Patterson and Simmons drew with R. Patterson and Austin Leigh, 15-12, 5-15. Pritchard and Simpson lost to C. E. Whitney Griffiths and Dr. Ridewood, 7-15, 2-15.

Women's Doubles

Miss Taylor and Mrs. S. White beat Miss I. Hedley and Miss M. Bullock-Webster, 15-11, 15-12. Mrs. Pritchard and Mrs. Simpson lost to Mrs. Stern and Miss M. Hamblin, 15-4, 15-9. Miss P. Patt and Miss M. Thomas drew with Mrs. H. Rayment and Mrs. R. Fort, 17-16, 15-11.

Semi-final Matches Played in Foursomes At Victoria Course

In the semi-finals of the Calcutta foursomes played at the Victoria Golf Club on Sunday, E. A. Burton and H. A. Tomlin with a handicap of six defeated E. A. Burton and H. A. Tomlin with a handicap of six. The winners were E. A. Burton and H. A. Tomlin.

Forward Pass To Be Barred From Football Finals

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Regina Roughriders, western Canada football champions, have been advised the forward pass will not be allowed in the Dominion final here Saturday between Balmy Beach, Ontario Rugby Football Union and eastern Canada titleholder. This announcement was made yesterday evening by W. R. Hewitson, Canadian Rugby Union secretary, who stated this decision had been made in accordance with regulations drawn up at the last annual meeting of the C.R.R.

Craikshank And Mehlnhorn To Make Tour of Far East

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—William "Wild Bill" Mehlnhorn and Robert "Wee Bobbie" Craikshank, famous professional golfers and their manager, Al Hammond, New York, sailed for the Far East Saturday on the N.Y.K. liner Tetsu Maru to engage in a good-will golf tournament in Japan. The golfers are going to Japan at the invitation of the Japan Golf Association and for Japanese caddies. The players will establish a caddy foundation and are due to arrive at Tokyo December 14.

Golf is growing in interest in Japan, Hammond said, and it was expected the trip would stimulate this sport greatly. From Japan the trio will go to Shanghai, Hongkong, Manila and on down to New Zealand, where they will also be guest players.

Glasgow Rangers Finally Climb To League Leadership

Defending Champions In Scottish First Division Football Gain First Place By Victory Over Clyde; Celtic, Former Leaders, Idle Through Weather; No Upsets Witnessed In First Round of English Cup; Arsenal Display Splendid Form To Win Easily From Chelsea; Jack Plays Well.

Glasgow, Dec. 1.—Many soccer matches in Scotland Saturday were hampered by fog and one important fixture, the meeting between Celtic and Dundee at Parkhead, had to be postponed. As a result of the inactivity of Celtic and the defeat of Partick Thistle, Rangers came up to the top of the league standings of the first division.

The Rangers had a picnic with Clyde at Jorob Park, scoring five goals to their opponents' singleton. Battles played a wonderful game for Hearts against St. Mirren, scoring their total of three goals. Aberdeen whitewashed Morton by 4 to 0, and Airdrie surprised Cowdenbeath and won by 3 to 1. East Fife and Falkirk drew in a match in which eight goals were scored. McCachie did the hat trick for Fife and Dyet had three for Falkirk. Hamilton Academicals just came home against Hibernian and Kilmarnock beat Queen's Park by 2 to 1. Leith Athletic won out by the same margin from Partick Thistle.

London, Dec. 1.—As usual, many Third Division soccer teams who entered the English Cup competition in the first round proper will go on to the second phase and will meet the big clubs who join in the great tussle in the third round. The majority of the amateur sides were eliminated, though Wimbledon brought off a brilliant draw against Fulham. A sprinkling of non-league clubs survived. Dulwich Hamlet, another amateur team, despite a lead of two goals secured by Newport through Pearce in the first half, forced a replay. The Hamlet responded strongly in the second half, reducing Newport's lead in the third minute through Smith, who converted a fine pass from Morrish. Dulwich were awarded a penalty a little later, and although Blakemore saved Hugo's kick from the spot, Hugo scored on the rebound.

London, Dec. 1.—Despite one of the wettest weeks in a November experienced in England, only one ground was too sodden for league soccer, football Saturday. That was at Aston, where the Villa were scheduled to meet Portsmouth. The chief event of the English First Division was the clash at Stamford Bridge between Chelsea's "Bank of Scotland" team and Arsenal's "Bank of America." The Arsenal won by 5 to 1, being always well on top, although Chelsea scored the only goal in the first half.

After the interval Arsenal's star forward, Jack, equalized cleverly in the first minute of the second half and fifteen minutes later the same player turned Basil's hot shot into the net. Williams had Arsenal's third from Basil's clever pass when the Chelsea defence had been tired by the open play. Jack ran through and scored his third marker on a solo effort, Lambert adding the fifth Arsenal goal near time. Derby County, getting the knee at Litchborough, scored only one of the five goals scored. Cammell headed in for Middlesbrough after two minutes of play, but Derby equalized through Barclay with a fine header from a corner kick. McKee re-established Middlesbrough's lead with a fine volley and Cammell had their third.

AMATEUR STAR RETURNS

The return of the brilliant amateur, Gibbins, to the West Ham forward line inspired the team with confidence against Leicester City, and they won by 2 to 0.

Twenty thousand people saw Everton lose at Bradford. It was only their second defeat of the season in Second Division matches.

The lowly Charlton Athletic pulled off an excellent draw against the strong Burnley team. Burnley, who were playing at home, however, were not able to field their strongest team owing to injuries to players last week. The Maharajahs of Alwar and Jhalawar, who are attending the Indian coronation to the West Ham forward line, trouble Port Vale by 5 to 0. It was a fast and clever match, in which the Spurs played fine dashing football.

Portland Obtains Two Players From Philadelphia A's

Philadelphia, Dec. 1.—Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics, announced yesterday that Ossie Orvill, pitcher-infielder, and Homer Summa, outfielder, have been turned over to the Portland club; Pacific Coast League, in exchange for Herb Lahti, youthful right-hand pitcher. Lahti is to join the Mackmen in 1932.

Rockne Men Pressed To Defeat Army

Chicago, Dec. 1.—By the breathtaking margin of a single point, in the last few minutes of play Notre Dame Saturday bested the fighting threat of the Army, and marched off to its eighteenth consecutive football triumph in two seasons. The score was 7 to 6.

One hundred thousand faithful football fans, huddled in blankets and oilcloth robes, watched the thrilling battle, the stiffest Notre Dame has fought during its long victory march.

Other scores follow: University of California 20, Idaho 6. George Washington 0, Navy 30. Loyola 38, Baltimore 7. Maryland 7, Vanderbilt 22. Iowa State 7, Loyola 14. Louisiana Tech. 6, Louisiana College 0.

BILL PEDEN SPILLS BUT NOT INJURED

Victoria Pro. Bicycle Rider Showing Well in Six-day Race at New York

Has Honor of Gaining First Stolen Lap; Goes Down in Crash With Deneff

New York, Dec. 1.—William "Torchy" Peden of Victoria, B.C., partnered with Al Crossley of Boston, Mass., gained the first stolen lap of the forty-fifth international six-day bicycle race, which started at Madison Square Garden yesterday evening.

The German team, composed of Franz Durlberg and Paul Buschenhagen started the jam with the race only twenty-five minutes old, but Crossley went after Buschenhagen and was brilliantly picked up by the Victorian, who overhauled the German rider as they paraded the track for the tenth time. Alternating several times with his partner without losing an inch, Peden finally caught up with the pack after a maddening ride.

PEDEN IS SECOND

At the 11 o'clock standings, Peden and Crossley were three circuits behind, but were placed second in the points standing with twenty-five, one behind the Belgian team of Deneff and Charlier. Just after the final sprint Peden and Deneff crashed and the Victorian boy, although badly shaken up, soon resumed riding.

The entry list follows: Reggie McNamara, Newark, N.J., and Tony Beckman, Secaucus, N.J. Franco Georgetti, Italy, and Paul Brocard, France. Freddy Spencer, Plainfield, N.J., and Gerard Debats, Belgium. Frans Durlberg and Paul Buschenhagen, Germany. Pietro Lualaba and Alfredo Binda, Italy. Jimmy Walthour and Charley Winsor, New York.

Alfred Letourner and Marcel Gumbert, France. Gastano Belloni, Italy, and Emil Rust, Switzerland. Roger de Nef and Adolf Charlier, Belgium. Cecil Walker and Harris Harder, Australia. Norman Hill, San Jose, Calif., and Harry Moran, Newark, N.J. Willie Grims, Irvington, N.J., and Willie Grimm, Maple Wood, N.J. Wm. Peden, Victoria, B.C., and Al Crossley, Boston. Paul Croley, Brooklyn, and Harvey Mack, Newark. Enrico de Pacco and Pietro Fossati, Italy.

McDUFFEY OF THE MISSAUFER GOLF CLUB

BY BARRIE PAYNE

Washington State, 13; Villanova, 6. Holy Cross, 7; Boston College, 0. Drake, 40; Temple 20. Navy, 20; Georgia 0. Notre Dame, 7; Army, 6. Detroit, 12; Georgetown, 0. Vanderbilt, 22; Maryland, 7. Stanford, 14; Dartmouth, 7.



"Hang the luck, I never get a break. I chased upstairs to keep from hearing a man tell about his hole in one and bumped right into a bird that had just had his appendix out."

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Western Football Champs Confident of Victory

Bays Win With Lone Try Against Scots

Gerry Fanning Goes Over in Forward Rush to Give Oarsmen Decision in Hard-fought Senior Rugby Encounter Against Traditional Rivals; Militiamen Dominate Second Half But Fail to Get Across.

Bob McInnes's senior J.B.A.A. rugger drew first blood in their initial encounter against their traditional rivals, the Canadian Scottish, and limped off the field with a 3-0 victory after one of the most torrid games seen in the local league for many a day at the Royal Athletic Park Saturday. A fair crowd witnessed the match and gave both squads a good hand for their sporting spirit. One or two on the sidelines incurred the wrath of the referee and players alike, but were finally silenced. The oarsmen's one effective rush, came from the most unexpected quarter about fifteen minutes after the opening of the second half. With the Scots' three marking the opposing

backfield the Bays forwards broke away on a swarming rush for the corner. After two or three loose scrums in the Highlanders' twenty-yard ground, Jerry Fanning picked up and smashed his way across with the rest of the J.B.A.A. pack behind him for the only try of the match. Godwin made a good attempt to convert, but failed.

Throughout the first half the oarsmen dominated play, allowing the militiamen to break into their ground on only four or five plays. In the second half, the fighting Scots turned the tables and had a considerable edge over the blue shirts. Several times they were on the point of scoring, forcing five or six five-yard scrums, but the Bays bucked them back and held up the man with the ball when a militia player went across.

Although playing all out, the members of both teams turned in very clean performances. Opening on the attack, Sparks led a kick and run rush to the Scots' line, but lost out when Bryden touched down for a safety kick. The militiamen bucked back to centre following the twenty-five yard kick, but were hammered into their own territory again. The Bays played feet up in the scrum and Turgoose kicked clear. (Continued on Page 10)

PROVINCE CUP DRAW FOR CITY TEAMS IS MADE

Vancouver, Dec. 1.—At a special meeting of the British Columbia Football Association here Saturday evening, Lower Island teams were drawn for their preliminary round matches in the Province Cup series. Victoria Jokers will meet Saanich, while Victoria West will play Esquimalt. Victoria City drew a bye. The dates have not yet been set. In the ensuing round Victoria City will clash with the winners of the Jokers-Saanich game.

Royal Military Win Championship

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 1.—Royal Military College won the Dominion Intermediate Rugby championship here on Saturday afternoon, when they defeated Ottawa Blue Devils in a driving snowstorm by the score of 23 to 1.

Roughriders and Winnipeg Juniors Battle Easterners

Regina's Mighty Team Will Clash With Balmy Beach in Canadian Final At Toronto Saturday; Winnipeg Native Sons Will Meet Eastern Titleholders This Week; Sons Figured to Have Great Chance of Regaining Junior Title for West; Roughriders All Prepared to Offer Up Great Fight.

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—With a common yen to add to the West's microscopic list of Dominion Rugby championships, two titled teams from the prairies will go East this week to do battle with the champions that be on the other side of the Great Lakes divide.

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Nanaimo Girls—D. Robinson (7), D. Haddock, K. Kossin (4), E. Malone (3), A. Kephers and A. Richardson (9). Total (25).

J.B.A.A. Girls—C. Taylor, L. Sparks (1), T. Goy, I. Philbrook (5), I. Crawford (7), and M. Spark Total (13).

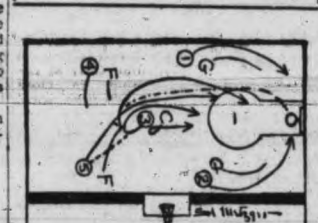
Nanaimo Men—Williams, Hawthorne (10), Walford (10), Miles, Green (2), and Kelly (2). Total (24).

J.B.A.A. Blues—C. Bull (5), D. Moses, A. Wright (3), L. Alexander (2), E. Smith (4), W. Burnett and R. Young (4). Total (18).

Bill Blain and R. Green refereed the games.

Following the games, the visitors were entertained by the home club at a dance.

Purdue Executes Quick-break Play



By SOL METZGER

It may interest basketball fans to know that a recent survey of this sport by the Western Intercollegiate Conference shows that during the past season over 2,200,000 individuals played the game in the United States before something like 100,000,000 spectators, facts that rank basketball as our greatest winter sport if not the most popular of all.

At the same time a record team was produced at Purdue by Coach Ward Lambert, a five that won the Western Conference title without a defeat or tie, placed two of its men, Murphy, a giant centre, and Wooden, the running guard, on the All-Conference team and two others, Harmon, a forward and crack football back, and Boots, another guard, on the second mythical line-up. So, let us start this series of articles

COAL CITY TEAMS WIN HOOP GAMES

Score Victories Over J.B.A.A. Basketball in Exhibition Fixtures

Nanaimo basketball teams gained decisive victories over J.B.A.A. quintettes in the men's and women's divisions at the oarsmen's gymnasium, Saturday evening, while the J.B.A.A. Reds defeated the Sons of Canada by a clear-cut margin in the preliminary fixture.

The Coal City women ran up a total of twenty-five points against the Bays fair sex squad's thirteen, while the men gained a six-point victory, scoring twenty-four points to the J.B.A.A. Blues' eighteen.

Scores and teams follow:

Sons of Canada—Jack Taylor, Blain

POOR PA

BY CLAUDE CALLAN



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Critics who think that Amos and Andy are merely two voices offering the cleverest and most human negro sketches ever spoken are due soon to deliver some amazed cheers for two great actors as well.

First flashes of "Check and Double Check" the initial all-talking feature picture starring Amos and Andy to be shown at the Dominion Theatre from to-day until Friday night, prove that they are not a radio miracle but two screen players of rare talent.

It is a small wonder that Freeman P. Gooden and Charles J. Correll are expert at play-acting. For years they were on the stage in sketches of various sorts, as actors, as singers, in a team; but forever before the public. Such training has given them assurance and ease and a thorough knowledge of the technique of pantomime without which acting is a melancholy joke.

When Melville Brown, director of "Check and Double Check," and one-time director of Charles Chaplin's greatest comedy successes, was given his prized assignment to direct Amos and Andy in their first talkie, he suffered misgivings. They were speedily dispelled, however, when Gooden and Correll appeared for rehearsal. The effortless manner with which they combined their world-famous voices and phrases with a pantomime so expert as to defy criticism assured Brown of a comfortable production session.

original story by Rube Goldberg, famous comedy creator, which will open at the Playhouse Theatre, next Monday.

Benjamin Stoloff directed the comedy which revolves about a romantic young couple who are tangled in a web of misunderstanding.

Stanley Smith and Lucille Brown portray the infatuated lovers, whose affairs grow rapidly from bad to worse under the misguided but good-intentioned aid offered by Ted Healey, chief comedian and his laugh racketeers.

"SOUP TO NUTS" HERE NEXT WEEK AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Comedy appealing to the general tastes of every man, woman, son and daughter in the land is said to be found in Fox Movietone's latest laugh picture, "Soup to Nuts," based on an

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Where To Go To-night

ON THE SCREEN
Capitol—Marilyn Miller in "Sunny"
Columbia—H. B. Warner in "Stark Mad."
Coliseum—"Three Live Ghosts," starring Robert Montgomery.
Dominion—Amos 'n' Andy in "Check and Double Check."
Playhouse—"Hot Curves," with Benny Rubin.

THE STAGE
Royal—The Gordon McLeod Players in "The Silent House."
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

Marilyn Miller In "Sunny" Now At the Capitol

Attractive Blonde Star Bride
in Romantic Wedding
Aboard Steamer

One of the most beautiful and unusual weddings ever performed before the cameras was filmed and recorded at First National Studios.

The wedding is one of the scenes in "Sunny," Marilyn Miller's starring production. It is a wedding on shipboard, on a great transatlantic liner. Miss Miller and Joe Donahue being the principals, "Sunny" opened to-day at the Capitol Theatre for a three-day run.

The scene, taking place in the ship's dancing salon, was participated in by 500 people, including the smartest dressed of Hollywood's extras. All of the gowns were especially created by Edward Stevenson, designer of film fashions at First National.

A wedding at sea is always performed by the captain, as it was in this case. The naval officer, versed in all the customs and traditions of the sea, played the role of the captain.

The marriage ceremony varies widely from ship to ship, and nation to nation. The liner in "Sunny" is supposed to be a British vessel, so the actual marriage service carried out on a White Star liner was obtained.

Star at Playhouse Once Studied For Church Ministry

Rex Lease, With Alice Day
and Mary Carr, Plays in
Picture "Hot Curves"

All the number thirteen represents to Rex Lease is the number of days he served in the motion picture studios as an extra before he caught the attention of directors and got a chance at real parts.

His first role was that of a minister—and young Rex had just left Ohio Wesleyan College, in Delaware, Ohio, where he had been pursuing theological studies in accordance with the wish of his grandmother.

Rex, after a year at Ohio Wesleyan, knew that he was not cut out for a minister and to continue was a mistake. As a boy he had wanted to be a civil engineer, but he found himself Hollywood-bound on an impulse—a college friend had told him he would be a big hit in pictures, he ought to try them, so he did!

Rex Lease is now under contract to Tiffany and plays to-day at the Playhouse Theatre in his latest Tiffany release, "Hot Curves," described as a baseball opera. The cast includes Benny Rubin, Alice Day, Pert Kelton, Mary Carr, Mike Donlin and others.

Robert Montgomery Stars at Coliseum In Clever Comedy

"Three Live Ghosts, Now
Showing, Features New York
Stage Favorite.

A Broadway stage star at twenty-three was the unusual achievement of Robert Montgomery, handsome New York actor, who plays one of the principal roles in "Three Live Ghosts," United Artists' all-talking comedy-drama, featuring an all-star cast, which is showing to-day at the Coliseum Theatre.

Leaving school at fifteen, young Montgomery, who recently celebrated his twenty-third birthday, decided upon a career as a short story writer. He felt that to write successfully, he must first learn something of life, and of people.

Fired with ambition, he hurried to New York, where he launched upon his literary work. He wrote several stories—classics, he thought—but publishers thought otherwise and promptly rejected them. Discouraged, and without funds, Montgomery landed a job as an assistant stage director with William Paversham. Subsequently he played several small parts in a Paversham production. Parts in other stage productions followed. Then came his first big chance—leading man with Grace George in "The Garden of Eden," after which he played leads opposite Laura Hope Crews, Margaret Lawrence and others.

SWIM

Warm As
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Crystal Garden

"SILENT HOUSE" IS THRILLER ON ROYAL STAGE

McLeod Players, With Excel-
lent Cast, Present Clever
Mystery Play This Week

This evening the English Players will present, at the Royal Victoria Theatre, one of the best thrillers that has ever been produced. It is "The Silent House," from the pens of John G. Brandon and George Pickett and is without doubt one of the most exciting dramas of the present day. Thrills, romance and comedy, mysterious scenes in which people appear as from nowhere, and a wicked Chinese doctor and various other oriental persons, all combine to make it a thrilling play. The plot concerns a young Englishman who has been left some valuable bonds by an eccentric old uncle. It is the search for these bonds in a supposedly haunted house that leads to all the trouble that ensues as Dr. Chan-Pi also has an interest in finding the bonds and stops at nothing to obtain them.

Romance in the person of a beautiful young girl named T'Mah, comes into the story, and all the scenes which follow are full of action and excitement. A strong cast presents the play. Gordon McLeod as the wicked Chinese doctor, Lillian Christine as the much persecuted heroine, Robert A. Dair, Patrick Ludlow, Wylie Watson, Hubert Symington, Rex Devlin, George Durham are artists who take part.

The management has greatly reduced the prices to put these fine entertainments within the reach of everyone.

Mystery Thriller At Columbia Theatre Has H. B. Warner in Lead

Popular Player Appears in
"Stark Mad," Here For
Three Days

Making his second appearance for Warner Bros. in "Stark Mad," a special mystery production now at the Columbia Theatre, H. B. Warner plays a featured role.

Warner, who is regarded as one of the outstanding screen stars of the period, was born in London, England, on October 26. His father was Charles Warner, a celebrated actor. After being graduated from a college preparatory school in London, Warner began the study of medicine, and had pursued his studies eighteen months when his waning interest in science caused him to yield to his longing for a stage career.

Thus it came about that the younger Warner joined his father in London in "Drink." For years he remained with his father's company, faithfully studying under his direction. At times he understudied as many as five parts at one time as well as carrying his own.

Warner made his first U.S. appearance in 1903 when he came to the

United States to play in "Merely Mary Ann" with Eleanor Robson. He has since starred in numerous stage successes, among them "The Girl Who Has Everything," "Susan in Search of a Husband," "Salome Jane," "The Battle," "Alias Jimmy Valentine," "The Ghost Breaker," "Sleep Partners," "Danger," "You and I" and "Silence." Warner's entrance into screen work was under the direction of Thomas Ince. He came west to do two pictures for this producer and did seven, whereupon he again went back to the stage. Noteworthy among these early pictures was "The Beggar of Calcutta."

COLISEUM

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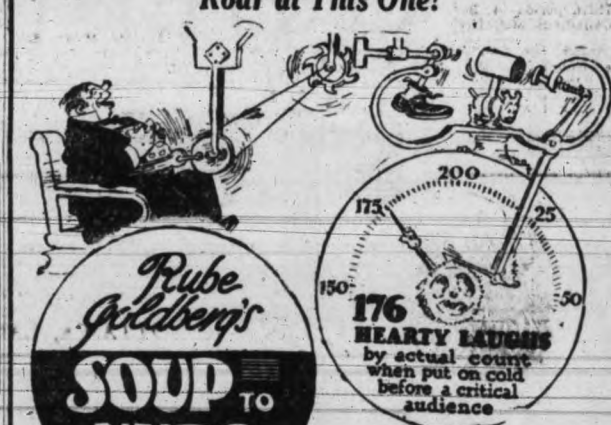
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IRRIGATIONISTS GET AID AFTER TWO YEARS' WAIT

Government Votes \$26,715 to Assist Interior Fruit Growers

The Provincial Government yesterday, by special warrant, appropriated \$26,715 to make good to the conservation fund remissions of principal on irrigation loans to farmers and fruit-growers of irrigated interior districts. The relief was authorized in 1928 by legislation introduced by Liberal administration, but had not previously been acted upon.

The grant is in reduction of principal owed by the farmers on government loans for rehabilitation of irrigation works constructed by land development concerns which were allowed to fall into disrepair. The conservation fund was created in 1919 and more than \$2,000,000 was advanced by the government on terms of repayment extended over a number of years.

Following a number of disastrous crop seasons the fruitgrowers in 1923 obtained a moratorium for four years. In 1928, upon the recommendation of W. G. Swan, special investigator, legislation was passed authorizing the writing off of 25 per cent of the amount of loans advanced by the government.

SAANICH FAIR TAKES HONORS

Exhibition Was Best Rural Fair in Province, With Chilliwack Second

The Saanichton exhibition of the North and South Saanichton Agricultural Society was the finest rural fair held this year in British Columbia. The Department of Agriculture has announced. Saanich was awarded 86.8 point of a possible 100, thereby leading the whole Province as well as its own district.

Other winners, by circuits, were as follows: Circuit 2, Chilliwack, 84.6 per cent; circuit 3, Kamloops, 80.8 per cent; circuit 4, Penticton, 78.5 per cent; circuit 5, Terrace, 83.1 per cent. A large increase was shown in Central British Columbia fairs this year.

Emmanuel C.G.I.T. Hosts to Fathers And Brothers

The Canadian Girls in Training group of the Emmanuel Baptist Church proved very successful hostesses Friday evening when they staged a "Fathers and Brothers" entertainment in the schoolroom of the church. An attractive programme being enjoyed by a large and enthusiastic gathering, which included Dr. Wellington Cant, the acting pastor.

Miss Bertha Waites and Miss I. Davis were in charge of the programme, which featured a number of old-fashioned games, in which every one participated. Much amusement being caused. During the evening the girls served a delicious supper. At the close of the evening, the principal of the Normal School, expressed the thanks of the guests, the young hostesses for a most enjoyable evening's entertainment.

Langford

The United Church Badminton Club visited Langford Lakeside on Thursday evening and defeated eight members of the Langford "B" team 18 games to 3.

The scores were as follows, with the United Church players first mentioned:

MEN'S DOUBLES
W. Erith and S. McMillan won from H. C. Bennett and S. Turner, 15-15.
G. Robson and A. Millar won from P. Moir and A. Catterall, 15-14.
W. Erith and S. McMillan won from P. Moir and T. Catterall, 15-3.
G. Robson and A. Millar lost to H. C. C. Bennett and S. Turner, 9-15.

LADIES' DOUBLES
Miss Robinson and Miss Robb won from Mrs. A. N. Brown and Miss B. Johnson, 15-2.
Miss Gough and Miss J. Smith won from Mrs. H. A. Hinks and Miss C. Brotherton, 15-5.
Miss Robinson and Miss Robb won from Mrs. H. A. Hinks and Miss C. Brotherton, 15-1.
Miss Gough and Miss J. Smith won from Mrs. A. N. Brown and Miss C. Brotherton, 15-10.

MIXED DOUBLES
Miss Robinson and W. Erith won from Mrs. A. N. Brown and H. C. C. Bennett, 15-16.
Miss Robb and G. Robson won from Miss B. Johnson and S. Turner, 15-11.
Miss J. Smith and S. McMillan won from Mrs. H. A. Hinks and P. Moir, 15-9.
Miss Gough and A. Millar won from Miss C. Brotherton and T. Catterall, 15-12.
Miss Robb and G. Robson lost to Mrs. A. N. Brown and H. C. C. Bennett, 15-15.

The first of the series of social evenings organized by the Chain Conservative Association was held on Thursday evening at the Tom Thumb Tea Rooms, many members and friends being present. Progressive "400" was played, and Miss Jessie Erskine won a dressed chicken for high score and Pat Parker received a sack of potatoes for the best score for men. Mrs. T. Madders and E. Goucher won consolation prizes. Dancing concluded the evening, music being supplied by Fred Pitt. The next of the series will be held on December 11.

A public school meeting, to which all ratepayers are invited, will be held on Saturday, December 6, at 7.30 o'clock, in the schoolhouse. The chief business will be election of a trustee to replace H. Pearce, who has left the district.

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Rentals

FURNISHED SUITES

37. **COMFORTABLE FOUR-ROOM FURNISHED SUITE**, private bath; close in. Phone 6119. 600-8-122

FIELD APARTMENTS—FOR RENT, furnished and unfurnished suites, modern, automatic heating, garage. Phone 6119. 600-8-122

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Best equipped kitchenette, apartment, electric refrigerator, near beach, car line and golf links. Suite now available. Phone 2381. 600-8-122

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COMFORTABLE ROOM WITH BREAKFAST fast if desired in good home, close to town. Phone 6119. 600-8-122

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WARM FURNISHED ROOM ON GROUND floor, with kitchenette; garage. 1024 McClure St. 745-1-122

WARM, COMFORTABLE FURNISHED rooms available in Hotel Douglas on special terms for the winter months. 600-8-122

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BROADWAY ROOMS—CLEAN, COMFORTABLE, sleeping and housekeeping. Centre of city. 1319-1/2 Broad Street. 600-8-122

CARLTON APTS., 711 PANDORA—Furnished suites, housekeeping rooms; steam heated. 1872-2-122

COMFORTABLE HOUSEKEEPING and sleeping rooms; steam heat, hot and cold water. Rates, \$3.50 to \$4.50 week. Yale Rooms, 711 Johnson Street, Phone 6029. 600-8-122

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS this and cabins \$8 per month and up. 1024 Hilda. 708-11

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS—SINGLE OR IN suite, 1621 Quadra. Two blocks from City Hall. 1840-20-122

SPARE ROOMS ARE TURNED INTO spare cash every day through The Times Rental Ads. 600-8-122

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40. **BOONVILLE, 108 DOUGLAS—SPLENDID** location, close to car; hot water heating; garage. Phone 2484. 675-20-100

COMFORTABLE ROOMS, BOARD IF DESIRED; moderate terms; close in. Phone 6755. 600-8-122

DESIRABLE ROOMS AND BOARD FOR two people, in private home; garage. 531 Linden Ave. Phone 6119. 600-8-122

ROOM AND BOARD, IN PRIVATE FAMILY in good residential district, Oak Bay on bus line. Phone 6119. 600-8-122

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41. **A CHARMING FURNISHED HOUSE OF** five rooms, with two bedrooms; furnace and garage, on Gorge Road, facing the water, with large, well-kept garden, at \$40 monthly. Now vacant. The Royal Trust Company, Real Estate Department, 1174 Yates. 708-11

COMFORTABLE FURNISHED HOUSE—sleeping rooms, garage. 235 Belleville Street. 2325. 1872-3-122

FURNISHED OR PARTLY FURNISHED six-room bungalow; furnace; garage and driveway. Five minutes from post office. 1414 Bay District. 2255. 182-4-122

THREE AND FOUR-ROOM COTTAGES, garage attached, \$10 up. Home Gas. 535 Gorge Road. 6534-11

THREE-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE ON "seaside" in beautiful part of city, for rent; immediate possession. 1701 Hollywood Crescent. 333-3-130

TODAY'S VACANCIES ARE TURNED into tomorrow's occupancies through the Rental Ads on this page. 600-8-122

WANTED—FURNISHED COTTAGE IM-mediately, two bedrooms; good, quiet neighborhood. Phone 2944. 748-3-122

UNFURNISHED SUITES AND ROOMS

42. **MORRISON APTS.—CORNER HILDA AND** Chester. Furnished or unfurnished suites. Phone 2329. 1872-3-122

NICE 3-ROOM FLAT IN DUPLEX HOUSE close in. Phone 6859. 425-11

THREE-ROOM UNFURNISHED SUITE close in. Phone 6416. 700-11

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THREE BRIGHT UNFURNISHED ROOMS, steam heat; sea view. 540 Dallas Rd. Phone 7278. 748-4-11

UPPER APARTMENT—THREE ROOMS, kitchen and bathroom, two fireplaces; at Beacon Hill, close to car; view. Apply to Mrs. Jones & Co. Ltd. 1212 Broad Street. Phone 2325. 741-3-122

UNFURNISHED HOUSES

43. **FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, GARAGE, LARGE** garden; good locality. Apply 1237 Sunnyside, Victoria West. 7472-3-120

FOR RENT—FRESHLY DECORATED SIX-room home, No. 1014 Kensington Street. Garage, furnace, etc. Rent \$25. 2391-11

44 STORES, OFFICES, WAREHOUSES FOR RENT—WHARF AND LARGE WAREHOUSE. Phone 6119. 600-8-122

Real Estate

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45. **BUILDINGS DEMOLISHED BY EXPERT** crews. Address Box 6842, The Times. 600-8-122

HOUSES BUILT ON INSTALLMENT PLAN Modern homes for sale; easy terms. D. H. Hale, contractor. Port and Bladon. 600-8-122

BUY THIS NOW FOR NEXT SUMMER AT OROVIA BAY:

A great bargain in a wood six-room house standing on a large waterfront lot at the best part of the bay. Fourteen acres, well-cemented basement, water laid on, bathroom with pipes hot or no fixtures; some furniture is included in the price. This is a snap at \$2,500. \$600 cash, balance as rent.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY LIMITED

925 Government Street Phone 6415

\$1500 CASH BUYS HOUSE OF FIVE rooms with bathroom and pantry in good condition. Apply 1808 Oak Bay Avenue. 244-4-122

AGENTS' OFFERINGS

EASY TERMS VERSUS RENT

WE HAVE A MODERN BUNGALOW OF five rooms, situated on a good corner in the Port District, which we can sell at \$2,800 and for which we are now getting \$275.00 per month rent. If some person who is now paying rent for their house would pay us \$200 cash, and the balance at the rate of \$15 per month, including 7% interest, they would have a home, be free from the danger of having to move, be in a position to fix house and garden to suit themselves and have it all paid for in eight years and a few months.

Come in and talk this over with us, and see "we can't help you to own your home, instead of possessing only a bunch of rent receipts."

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY Real Estate Department

1174 YATES VICTORIA

BELOMONT HOUSE

LIVE IN THE GORGE DISTRICT Here is a real bargain in a 6-ROOM MODERN HOUSE

Newly painted and nearly half an acre of good land. House contains entrance hall, large living-room with paneled walls and open fireplace, large kitchen with built-in conveniences, glassed in breakfast room, dining-room, or could be used as bedroom, and bathroom. Full basement with cement floor, furnace and laundry tubs. Sewerage connection; very good garage; poultry house and run cement sidewalks, lawns and flower garden; fruit trees; high and healthy location; good view. Close to Gorge Road and bus service.

ONLY \$3,500

House alone could not be built for this. Owner, moving into the country.

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE LTD. 640 Port Street

\$3000—Six-room bungalow, modern and in good condition. James Bay.

\$1800—Four large rooms, sleeping porch. High location. A bargain.

LEE, PARSONS & CO. LIMITED 1222 Broad Street

AGENTS' OFFERINGS

(Continued)

P. R. BROWN & SONS LIMITED

NORTH QUADRA DISTRICT—RECEIVED a fine chicken ranch bargain. Situated close to town, with approximately one acre of good soil; first-class chicken house for 500 birds; feed house with cement floor, comfortable four-room bungalow, large living-room, two bedrooms, pantry, two-piece bathroom, cement basement. This is a compact, neat place and good value at \$3,650, on terms.

P. R. BROWN & SONS LIMITED 1132 Broad Street Phone 6711

Financial

MONEY WANTED

NEWLY DECORATED SMALL HEATED suite, hot and cold water, closets, Block St. Joseph's, 417 Vancouver. 2245. 7426-20-152

Notice to Members

The annual general meetings of the West Coast Fishermen's Association will be held at Nanaimo, December 6, 7 and 8.

W. E. SAGERS, President.

NOTICE

"Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision to the Municipal Voters' List will meet in the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, V.I., on December 10, 1930, at 7 a.m."

E. R. F. SEWELL, Clerk.

Uncle Ray's Corner

Robin Hood's Adventures

THE HERO IS OUTLAWED

During one of my visits to central England, I made a trip through Sherwood Forest. This forest is not the same as it was 700 years ago—when Robin Hood is supposed to have lived there—but there are still many trees, and we may form an idea of how it looked long ago. I saw one huge old oak with a hollow trunk, and

home village and set forth with bow and arrows. His route led him into Sherwood Forest.

After entering the forest, Robin came upon a party of the king's foresters. One of them pointed to the youth, and made fun of him.

"What are you going to do with your little bow?" asked the forester, laughing.

"I am going to Nottingham to try to win a prize," replied Robin.

"Ho! I wager you couldn't hit anything!"

"Do you see yonder deer?" asked Robin. "I wager I can bring him down."

"Agreed, I'll take the wager," Robin aimed with care, and brought down the deer. Then the foresters shouted that he had killed one of the king's deer, and was in danger of having his ears cut off; but all were willing to let him go except one whose brain was muddled by the drinking of too much ale. This was about an arrow which just missed Robin's head. Robin turned and fired an arrow back. Alas! He struck the mark!

In fear that he would be captured and put to death, Robin fled into the forest thickets. He escaped the foresters, but he became an outlaw.

To-morrow—Little John

Uncle Ray

Uncle Ray has a leaflet containing forty good riddles which he will gladly send free of charge to any reader sending him a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Address him in care of this paper.

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MANY HAPPY RETURNS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 1

Arthur Lloyd Yates, 58 Cadillac Avenue, Victoria, B.C. (11).

Myra Kathleen Baldwin, 792 Topaz Avenue, Victoria, B.C. (3).

Mary Elizabeth Ricketts, Beaufort Road, Sidney, B.C. (11).

Betty Aitken, 945 Saaview Avenue, Victoria, B.C. (7).

THE TIMES BIRTHDAY CLUB

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DAILY HEALTH SERVICE

LIVER NEEDED IN DIET TO GIVE BABY ENOUGH IRON

By DR. MORRIS FISHER

Iron is a constituent normally of the cells, of muscles, and also an important constituent of the red coloring matter in the blood.

A large amount of this red coloring matter is used up during the first year of life, and at this time iron is necessary. The amount of iron in human milk is small and there is even less in cow's milk.

Infants fed on the breast get just enough iron to satisfy their requirements. Artificially fed infants seldom get enough iron, unless additional foods containing iron are given to them.

After the sixth month, therefore, green vegetables, meats, egg yolk and cereals are desirable in order to supply the additional amount of iron that is needed. Moreover, the green vegetables, especially spinach, supply chlorophyll, which is useful in the creation of hemoglobin in the body.

One of the most valuable substances for providing the infant with proper blood-building materials is whole liver. It has the advantage furthermore of being a soft meat that can be eaten and assimilated without great difficulty.

The various extracts of liver thus far prepared have not yet been proved to have the efficiency that whole liver has in taking care of the secondary

anemia that may develop in an infant, particularly because of its exclusive diet of milk or an artificial food, and also in adults who have been eating improper diets.

Investigators working in laboratories are now turning their attention from the preparation of liver extracts that are of special value in pernicious anemia to combinations that will be especially valuable in the treatment of secondary anemia of various kinds.

Because of the well-known value of iron in the treatment of secondary anemia, combinations of extracts of liver and of iron are being prepared which may serve the exceedingly useful purpose of taking the place of whole liver.

There are not so many forms in which whole liver may be modified in order to make it palatable and to take away the monotony of a whole liver diet. Extracts will therefore serve an exceedingly useful purpose.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legible. The longer an article the more likely it is to be omitted. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer wishes. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for the preservation or return to the writers of communications submitted to the Editor.

ACKNOWLEDGED WITH THANKS

To the Editor:—I accept with gratitude the cognomen bestowed on me by Walter Foster, and seeing that he has not taken objection to the title I gave him, (Balaam's Ass), I take it for granted that it fills the bill. One thing certain, an oyster, native or otherwise, knows when to close its mouth, an instinct, which he must admit is foreign to himself.

NATIVE OYSTER. 822 Admirals Road, Esquimalt.

VOTERS' LIST

To the Editor:—It would be enlightening if every prospective candidate and all householders who have the road tax deducted from their salaries to peruse the municipal voters' list. I have but a small knowledge of this town, but know of more than a dozen men whose names have been omitted. They have gone on automatically for years, but for some reason or other are not listed now. I know there was something about registering, but nobody I have met ever thought it applied to people who had once registered, and certainly when the city takes a man's money it might at least put him on the list, the same as it has always done in the past. A change like this is very drastic and should have been fully explained. Victorians are



The Perils of Old Pepys

Living in the 17th century was dangerous

(From the diary of Samuel Pepys)

(Sept. 19, 1662)—At night I walked with three or four to guard me—it being a joy to my heart . . . that people should of themselves provide this for me. I hear this walk is dangerous by night.

(May 11, 1663)—On foot, I was set upon by a great dog who got hold of my garters and might have done me hurt, but I did not see what a great I was that, having a sword about me, I never thought to use it.

(June 30, 1664)—Walked back all alone. Saw a man that had a cudgel in his hand and though he told me he labored in the King's Yard, and many other good arguments that he is an honest man, yet, God forgive me, I did doubt he might knock me on the head with his club.

(July 11, 1664)—About 11 o'clock, knowing what money I have in the house and hearing a noise, I began to sweat worse and worse till I melted almost to water. Then I understood it was only a dog!

"Long talking with my wife," wrote Pepys on one occasion. "What she should do if I should by accident die!"

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very easy going, but I have seen them aroused as well as anyone could be when told in the polling booth that they could not vote. I suppose the press will say a small vote was cast. No wonder, when the municipal voters' list is not much bigger than Ward Five's provincial list. Nearly 6,000 votes in Ward Five and only 11,000 odd for the whole city of Victoria. However, here's to a happy election day.

JOHANNA WITTY. 261 Cook Street, Victoria, November 30, 1930.

BEER

To the Editor:—In reference to Mr. Fidd's letter in Saturday Times, I may say from experience that the beer sold here in bottles is certainly a product of too much scientific treatment and that the reason it goes flat when it is poured out into a glass. Whatever argument he puts up or any challenge he makes, does not alter the fact that this beer is worse than poor.

I have been informed that some of the ingredients are produced at a nearby island, but apart from this being true or not, there is a lot of complaining about the poor quality of British Columbia beer.

This is a complaint from one who does not belong to an organization of any kind.

MILD AND BITTER.

FESTIVAL AWARDS ARE DISTRIBUTED AT FAIRFIELD CHURCH

Prize Winners Received Honors at Recital Saturday Evening

A recital by the pupils of Miss Olive Campbell, A.T.C.M., and distribution of festival awards and Toronto Conservatory examination certificates, formed an interesting evening at the Fairfield Church on Saturday.

The pupils taking part in the programme of over thirty numbers were (singing): Billie Inglis, Howard Barnett, Jack Smith, Jack Inglis, Kenneth Cave, Tom Askey, Dorothy Plumb, Alice Skellern, Constance Barlow; (piano): Paul Smith, Margaret Walker, Peggy Lowe, Winnifred Applegate, Harry Minnie, Winnifred Moorehouse, Dick Higgins, Freda Green, Margaret Worth, Marion Skellern, Pam and Pauline Griffin, Jack Inglis, Zelma Wille, Nancy Kyle, Barbara Wilson, Billie Inglis, Constance Barlow, Kenneth Cave, Howard Barnett, Alice Crockett, Alice Skellern and Dorothy Plumb. Marion Plumb, violin; Nancy Kyle, cello, and Dorothy Plumb, piano, took part in an arrangement of "Blue Danube Waltzes" and all the pupils took part in a toy ensemble. Miss Campbell accompanied the vocal numbers, and Rev. Nixon of the church, acted as chairman.

George J. Dyke, before handing the awards and certificates to the successful students in a few remarks on the programme numbers, said he was there not to criticize, but to inspire. He congratulated the teacher and pupils on the fact that so many had rendered their numbers from memory and he could not help noticing much talent of promise among those taking part, the "future concert makers of the city."

The awards were as follows: Victoria Musical Festival, Billie Inglis, four silver medals, vocal and piano (first awards); a scholarship and joint winners with Dorothy Plumb and Jean Craig of the Women's Canadian Club Cup for highest marks in eleven classes. Master Inglis won ten awards this year, including three silver medals and a bronze medal at the Vancouver Exhibition. Kenneth Cave two silver medals (first awards), vocal and piano; Dorothy Plumb, a silver medal,

piano; Howard Barnett, three second awards, vocal and piano; Tom Askey, two second vocal awards; Anne Crockett, two second awards, piano solo and duet; Zelma Wille, one second piano duet; Constance Barlow, one second award, and Alice Skellern a second in vocal duet.

Those receiving T. C. E. certificates were: Introductory school grade, with honors, Margaret Worth, Winnifred Applegate, Harry Minnie, Dick Higgins, Pauline Griffin and Peggy Lowe. Elementary, with honors, Marion Skellern, Anne Crockett, Nancy Kyle, Howard Barnett and Jack Inglis; elementary singing, Evelyn Baylis.

At the Vancouver exhibition music competitions, Billie Inglis, won a bronze medal with Kenneth Cave in the piano duet (under nineteen). Kenneth Cave also received a silver medal and bronze medals for vocal and piano. Dorothy Plumb and Alice Skellern won two bronze medals in the piano duet.

Justice W. A. Macdonald in the Supreme Court here at \$61,461.

Other wills probated here are: Henry James Pollard, died March 16, \$4,002.

John Doyle, died Nov. 6, \$1,553.

Thomas Bestwick, Saanich, died Sept. 11, \$1,200.

Edward Nicholas, Sidney, died Nov. 4, \$5,162.

Edwin George Burt, English probate revealed, B.C. estate \$410, total estate \$6,121.

Charles King Rudge, English probate revealed, B.C. estate \$150, total estate \$122,762.

John Sam Hickford, Saanich, died July 9, \$2,040.

Robert August Jones, died Sept. 30, \$1,125.

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FIRE DESTROYS SAANICH HOME

Wellington Road Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Peters Burned

Fire yesterday evening destroyed the two-story residence of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Peters, Wellington Road, Saanich, the cause of the outbreak being unknown. The house was valued at \$1400, and was owned by H. Houtt. The building and its contents were insured.

When Mr. and Mrs. Peters returned home at 10:30 o'clock yesterday evening they found the interior of the house ablaze. It was impossible to save any of their furniture.

The Saanich fire apparatus arrived promptly, but nothing could be done.

JUDGE HOLDS DEBTORS' DAY

Judge Lampman turned today's session of the County Court into a judgment debtors' day.

Debtors of the court house were summoned to pay bills and by lawyers who had appeared to take part in the examination of each debtor as he was put on the stand before the judge for examination.

WILL LECTURE ON VISIT TO GERMANY

C. B. Wood, M.A., of the Provincial Normal School, Victoria, who recently returned after a year's research work at Columbia University and an educational tour of Germany, will be the speaker at the next meeting of the New Education Fellowship to be held at Victoria College Thursday, at 8:15 p.m. The public is cordially invited.

When he was in Germany recently, Mr. Wood visited most of the important teacher-training institutions of that country and has much to tell that is of special interest to all who are interested in new educational methods.

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TEACH PUPILS FOR FUTURE NEW SYSTEM

Hon. J. Hinchliffe Tells Gyros of Course Aimed to Assist Students in Vocations

Ordinary High School Course Merely Preparations For University, He Declares

A new course, aimed to give students knowledge of concrete value to them for particular vocations and not to groom them for university education, had been inaugurated this year by the Department of Education as one attempt to prevent the waste of time of students not intending to go on to higher education, Hon. J. Hinchliffe told the Gyro Club today.

It was a shame, the Minister of Education maintained, to see so many students enter high school for a year or two and leave it without having received some teaching of concrete value to them in the work which they intended to do. Without the new course, high school training was simply an elementary preparation for university work and did not meet the needs of those boys and girls who did not wish to continue their studies in college, he maintained.

"I wonder if the people of British Columbia realize that many of the things they have asked for have been done?" Mr. Hinchliffe asked in opening his talk.

FOREIGN TEXT BOOKS

During the last two years all foreign text books had been eliminated from grade schools of British Columbia in accordance with the wishes of many parents, he claimed.

Although children came from different walks of life, with different plans for the future, the educational system of British Columbia was turning out the students with the same kind of a sausage machine, irrespective of their prospects for the future, Mr. Hinchliffe said.

The high school student had only one thing done for him, the speaker said, and that was a preparation for university.

If he wished to slip out of school, and work, all he had was a university preparation training.

This was all the more alarming since of 200 children who had entered one particular high school three years ago, only twenty-eight sat for matric exams.

"What had the remainder received that would be of value to them?" the speaker asked.

Only about two per cent of the students passing through high school took up university work, Mr. Hinchliffe informed.

Double the high school graduate had a finer mind for art, but had he anything of value to make his livelihood.

"Last year we introduced a new course that did not lead to university. It is aimed to teach the student something of value which goes to work," Mr. Hinchliffe stated.

It aimed to cut away the useless studies and stressed those subjects which would be of value to him, English, social studies and health would be included in the course, but apart from those the pupil was able to make a selection of other studies which would be of value to him in making a living for himself.

This was of particular value to the lad who could take only one or two years in high school but had no desire to matriculate.

Such topics as bookkeeping, agriculture, designing, arithmetic and other subjects of concrete value could be taken.

"This leads to the preparation in some part at least for the student in the walks of life which they intended to pursue," he stated.

PIONEER BARBER DIED SUNDAY

Anton Vigellus, a native of Bavaria and a resident of this city for thirty-five years, passed away yesterday at his home 1037 Mason Street, aged eighty-three years.

The late Mr. Vigellus was formerly a barber by profession and was well known to old-time residents here, having for many years been a barber at the corner of Government Street, near Yates.

He is survived by his widow, and two daughters, Mrs. J. B. Sinclair, and Mrs. J. T. Mann of Victoria, one son, Victor Arnold Vigellus in Vancouver, six grandchildren, and one sister in Portland, Oregon. The remains are being kept at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where services will be held on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

ASK PREFERENCE FOR CANADIAN SHIPBUILDING

The directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce this afternoon endorsed reports from the Industrial and Tourist Trade groups, which supported construction at Victoria of at least one of the two new vessels which the Federal Government is considering building in the near future and the use of the Esquimalt dry dock by the vessels of the Canadian National Railway's fleet of coastal steamships.

The following resolution from the groups was approved: "That the Dominion Government be urged to give preference to Canadian shipbuilding concerns when letting contracts for new vessels, providing they see their way clear to do so."

"And that the Government be prevailed upon to build in Victoria at least one of the two vessels now being considered at Ottawa."

In regard to the use of the Esquimalt drydock by Canadian National Railway vessels, it was claimed that substantial sums can be saved the railway and Canada by doing the repairs here instead of sending the vessels to Prince Rupert, as has been the practice hitherto.

NEWS IN BRIEF

School trustee candidates will speak at the meeting of the Royal Society of Teachers Association this evening at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Owing to conflicting events, the regular meeting of the Royal Society of St. George will not be held on Wednesday evening next.

The C.P.R. Social Club annual turkey drive will take place at the Empress Hotel on December 22 under the guidance of J. Belanger.

H. T. Company, 11th Divisional Train, C.A.S.C., will parade to-morrow at 8 p.m. at the Armories for drill and musketry practice. Dress: Drill order.

The official syllabus for the fifth annual competition of the Victoria Musical Festival Association is obtainable at all local music stores.

Russell Snedden was charged in City Police Court this morning with assaulting Annie Wilson. On request of his counsel, R. C. Lowe, the case was adjourned to Wednesday.

Fire in the basement at 1130 Summit Avenue was extinguished by the fire department this afternoon. Damage was slight. A burning automobile outside 608 Trutch Street was attended about 1 o'clock.

A concert will be given in the South Park School Auditorium to-morrow at 8 o'clock by the South Park School Choir. The choir will be assisted by P. A. Gibbs, Charles Scriver and A. Holloway.

All reserved seat tickets for the meeting to be addressed by Joseph North at the Playhouse Theatre next Sunday have been distributed. Mr. North reports: If ticket holders are not in their seats by 8:45 o'clock, Mr. North says their seats will be forfeited.

Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, Thursday granted an absolute decree of divorce to Harold Gordon Philbrook from Mabel Philbrook. Sidney Ware was named as correspondent. O. J. Boulton appeared as counsel for Mr. Philbrook and P. Walls for the respondent and correspondent.

Members of the Naval Veterans' Branch, C.N. Legion, interested in billiards, are requested to attend a meeting in the secretary's office, at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. An invitation is extended to any ex-naval veteran who will care to join the billiard team, to be present at this meeting.

The Men's Club of Oak Bay United Church will hold their next monthly supper meeting to-morrow at 6:15 in the school auditorium. The supper will be followed by a mock election meeting at which opposing candidates for mayor, aldermen and school trustees will give five-minute speeches. An interesting time is assured.

The following donations were received by P. Landsberg, local treasurer: Save the Children and Near East Relief for the month of November, 1930: Miss E. Saunders, \$1.00; Miss A. Botell, \$5.00; Mrs. Loftis, \$5.00; A. Friend, \$4.46. Total \$16.46. Further donations will be acknowledged by Mr. Landsberg at 737 Fort Street.

SIMS DEATH ACCIDENTAL

Jury Exonerates Driver of Truck, Which Killed Boy, From Blame at Inquest

The coroner's jury inquiring into the death of Arthur Henry Sims, killed by a truck on Esquimalt Road on Friday afternoon, exonerated the driver, Charles R. Casellon, from all blame, declaring the fatality accidental at the inquest in McCall's Funeral Parlors this morning.

Constable D. Hodnett of the Esquimalt Police Force told of his visit to the scene of the accident at 4:35 o'clock Friday afternoon. He spoke of skid marks on the road where the driver had slowed down his truck before crossing Constance Avenue. Other marks showed the place where he had jammed on the brakes and come to a stop seven feet after they had been applied.

Constable Hodnett had proceeded to the scene of the accident, where first aid was being rendered to the deceased, he declared, Dr. J. McCallum was summoned and attended the case shortly after, Constable Hodnett stated, adding that the doctor had pronounced the boy dead.

He showed the jury a map of the street at that particular part, explaining how the truck had stopped and where the body was found. The evidence was clear and fine, and the road was dry, he stated.

John Jennings, a boy who had been standing nearby when the accident occurred, told of seeing the deceased dart out from the sidewalk between two parked cars and take him to the ground, where he was killed.

Dr. McCallum stated he attended the case and found the boy dead. Death was due to a fractured skull, he said.

Charles Casellon, driver of the Shell Oil truck, told of seeing two boys playing on the car tracks as he proceeded along Esquimalt Road near Constance Avenue. On seeing them he had slowed down his truck. Suddenly they stopped and reversed their direction, running in the opposite way to that in which the truck was proceeding.

RAN IN FRONT OF CAR

Sims darted across the road in front of the truck, running quickly with his head down, the driver stated. When he saw that he was going to hit the boy, he jammed on the brakes and came to a stop within seven feet, he said. As soon as the vehicle was stopped he took the boy from the truck and carried him to the drug store.

The wheels of the truck did not pass over the lad, the driver stated. The car was stopped about twenty miles an hour at the time.

M. B. Jackson, K.C. and C. W. Bradshaw appeared for the Shell Oil Company, whose truck Casellon had been driving.

TRANS-U.S. FLIGHT

Kingman, Ariz., Dec. 1.—Ruth Nichol, society girl of Rye, N.Y., took off from here at 11:24 a.m. today for Los Angeles on the last lap of her attempt to better Mrs. J. M. Keith-Miller's trans-United States flight record for women.

TRIBUTES PAID MEMORY OF LATE A. C. FLUMERFELT

Chamber of Commerce Records Appreciation of Eminent Citizen

Mayor Ansoncomb, P. B. Fowler and Attorney-General Voice Regrets

Expressions of sincere regret at the death of the late Alfred C. Flumerfelt were voiced this afternoon by the directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce. The following resolution of sympathy with his family was adopted:

"Whereas the board of directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce has learned with regret of the death of A. C. Flumerfelt, who was for ten years president of the Victoria Board of Trade, and who during his long residence in Victoria was prominently identified with many worthy causes;

"Therefore be it resolved that an expression of profound regret over the loss of a sterling citizen be recorded in the minutes of this board, and that a message of sympathy be forwarded to Mrs. Flumerfelt and other members of her family on behalf of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

R. W. Mayhew, chairman in the absence of President Fowler, recalled that Mr. Flumerfelt had been a past president of the Victoria Board of Trade before it was reorganized in its present form.

Mayor Herbert Ansoncomb this morning at the City Hall stated: "It was with profound regret that I heard of the death of our distinguished fellow citizen, Mr. Flumerfelt. During the last few years I have been brought into contact with him on many occasions, especially for things in the nature of civic betterment. I found him not only keenly alive to the requirements, but always more than willing to give a helping hand to a solution of any particular problem."

"The city is the loser by his passing and as time goes on it will be recognized that his place is hard to fill."

P. B. Fowler, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Victoria manager of the Bank of Commerce, said: "The passing of Mr. Flumerfelt is a severe loss, not only to Victoria but to British Columbia and Canada. He has been connected with numerous business interests, many of them national in character. He combined business ability with wonderful spirit of optimism. In Victoria, during the younger years of his life, he was connected with and took a leading part in the progress of the city. In his last year his able services were always available to those who are now carrying on such work."

"In short he will be missed in every avenue of endeavor. Those of us who were honored with his friendship have lost a cheerful companion and a true, loyal-hearted, all-weather friend."

Acting Premier Fowler said: "I wish to express my regret at the loss of a staunch friend. It is an extremely great loss, not only to British Columbia but to the whole of Canada. He was an outstanding citizen and one of Canada's best citizens. He was a man with a large vision. When he put on his spectacles and looked out of the window of his office, he saw the whole of Canada. It is citizens such as Mr. Flumerfelt, who have made Canada what it is to-day."

"He was a man with a large heart and the knowledge of many kindly acts, done unknown to the citizens generally, will die with him. He was always helping people out and the people of Victoria will remember him as a man who was always ready to help a community movement of any kind. Many citizens will regret the loss of a very dear friend."

WALTER BYRD DIED TO-DAY

Retired Master Mechanic of E. and N. Railway Succumbs to Long Illness

Walter Byrd, for many years master mechanic on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, passed away this morning at his home, 3211 Quadra Street, after a lingering illness. The late Mr. Byrd retired from the E. and N. Railway several years ago after a long period of service with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Born in Tottenham, England, in 1860, Mr. Byrd leaves two daughters, Mrs. J. L. Eilers and two grandchildren at 2815 Prior Street, Victoria. He was a member of Gilest Temple Shrine of Victoria Lodge of Fidelity No. 231, A.F. & A.M. Ottawa, the Fraternity No. 38, Roseland, B.C. Winnesheik Lodge No. 30 I.O.O.F. Precept, Victoria, and Victoria Chapter No. 17 O.E.S.

The remains are resting at the Thomson and Patterson Funeral Home pending funeral arrangements.

Funeral Tuesday Of C. A. McGregor, Late Contractor

Funeral services will be held at the Thomson and Patterson Funeral Home to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for Charles Alexander McGregor, well-known resident and for many years engaged in the contracting business here, who passed away on Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged sixty-eight years.

The late Mr. McGregor was born in Peterborough, Ontario, and came to this city forty-four years ago. He is survived by his widow, four sons and two daughters, A. G. McGregor, L. A. R. R. and C. H. McGregor, Mrs. G. A. McGregor and Mrs. W. M. McGregor, all of Victoria, and one brother, F. G. McGregor of Seattle.

Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the services and interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

OBITUARY

The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Sunday of Wilfred Alden Pottinger, aged forty-six years.

The late Mr. Pottinger was born in South Shields, England, and came to this province sixty years ago. He resided here for four years.

The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Bridget Cunningham, aged 808 Roberts Street, Victoria, widow of Neil Cunningham. The late Mrs. Cunningham was seventy-three years old. The funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel to-morrow morning, proceeding to the Victoria West Catholic Church, where services will be held at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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The funeral of the late William Emerson Wright who passed away in his city Thursday, was held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott conducted the service in the presence of a large number of friends. The hymns "Nearer My God To Thee" was sung and Mrs. Arthur Dowell rendered as a solo, "No Night There." Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick read the committal service and the late Mr. Wright was committed to Ross Bay cemetery, where interment was made in the family plot. The following acted as pallbearers: J. E. Killy, L. M. Rosecrance, F. F. Ingram, E. S. Ard, A. L. Moss and J. Henry.

The remains of the late Mrs. Harriet Robinson, of Shawinigan Falls, Que., will leave the B.C. Funeral Chapel to-morrow at 12:30 o'clock, proceeding to St. John's Church, Cobble Hill, where service will be held at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. W. E. Gocksbush will officiate and interment will be made in St. John's cemetery.

Rev. Canon H. W. G. Stocken officiated Saturday afternoon at the funeral from the Sands Funeral Parlors of Mrs. Kate Higgins, who died on Thursday. Hymns sung were "Peace, Perfect Peace," and "Abide With Me." There were many flowers and among them the large attendance was C. H. Hadland, representing the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends. The pallbearers were H. R. Sharples, H. Kroeger, B. Endean, J. Barrett, P. Rhoads and A. E. Boar. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at Sands Funeral Parlors for Jessie Hazel Stone, who died on Wednesday, Rev. O. L. Jull officiated, with many present. Hymns sung were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Rock of Ages." The pallbearers were: J. Paton, E. Blethman, C. Grant, J. Trout, J. J. Eitke and H. T. Lock. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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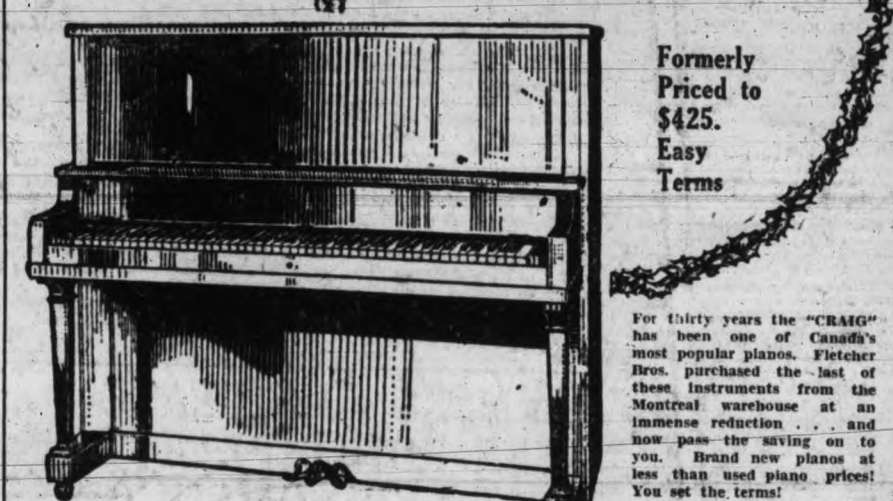
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Many friends attended the funeral of Ralph Crane, which took place Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral Home. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., conducted the service, during which the hymn, "Abide With Me," was sung. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: F. Ray, J. Collins, W. McDonald, A. Coates, W. Holmes and G. Hurst.

The funeral of Charles A. Mackay was held Saturday afternoon, when a private service was conducted by Rev. J. B. Rowell in McCall Bros. Funeral Home, the cortege then proceeding to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, where the public service was conducted by Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell. The hymns sung were "I to the Hills," "The Man Who Once Has Found Abode" and "Now the Laborer's Task," led by the choir, with Jesse Longfield presiding at the organ. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: F. Ray, J. Collins, W. McDonald, A. Coates, W. Holmes and G. Hurst.

The funeral of Arthur Henry Sims, who was accidentally killed in Esquimalt on Friday, will take place on Tuesday afternoon, proceeding from McCall Bros. Funeral Home to St. Paul's Garrison Church, where services will be held at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

There passed away on Sunday at Sidney, Norman Moffatt Jewkes, aged seventeen years, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jewkes of 1812 Fairfield Road. He was born in Saskatchewan and had resided here for four years. He is mourned by his parents and four brothers, Alexander of Midvale, Sask.; Clifford of Dalroy, Harold W. of Tacoma, Wash., and Stanley L. at home. The remains are resting at McCall Bros. Funeral Home and announcement of funeral will be made later.

The remains of the late Daniel McLean, who passed away in this city on November 28, were laid to rest this morning in Ross Bay Cemetery. Services were held at 10 o'clock at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. J. Sharp officiated.

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TO DAY'S GRAIN MARKETS

By Logan and Bryan
Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Wheat—The market was a dull, featureless affair to-day when the trade piling was practically all local. The market opened lower and prices during the first period declined from 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 under the close Saturday, from which low points there was some slight reaction due to some support coming in, due mainly to buying against the daily bids.

The weekly selling came from those who had been buying on Saturday, but the extreme reactions there was not much pressure, offerings being light and with moderate short covering in the late trade the market was able to show a more stubborn tone, the latter being helped by firmness in Chicago in the nearby futures.

The demand for cash wheat was very small and spreads were unchanged to two cents lower. But they rose on Saturday, offerings were not heavy, but shippers have their cargo space pretty well taken care of unless some fresh space is chartered, and at best will only be small as large stocks are now across the lakes to take care of the winter demand.

Export sales over the week-end were confined to an odd load here and there with foreign demand for North American wheat generally disappointing. Liverpool closed 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lower with cables stating there was a poor demand for nearby wheat, while Argentine was trading for January and February shipments at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lower on the late cable, the on a poor demand for wheat and flour decreased 3,000,000 bushels with the world shipments last week totaling 13,072,000 bushels, indicating a broad consumption of foreign wheat abroad.

The Canadian visible supply of wheat decreased 4,083,000 bushels, the U.S. visible decreased 2,440,000, country marketings of wheat Saturday in Western Canada were 1,993,000 bushels, against 81,000 a year ago. Some showings were received in Argentine over the week-end, but the weather was reported clear and warmer. Winnipeg futures closed 1 1/4 lower.

Corn—These markets were firmer but trade was very light with no pressure in evidence. There was a little speculative buying at times based on the early strength in corn and there is a little more friendly feeling towards these grains owing to present low levels with the anticipation that Europe will need to buy shortly. Liverpool due not given.

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By Logan and Bryan
Chicago, Dec. 1.—Wheat: The market had an easy undertone influenced by the decline at Winnipeg. Liverpool and Buenos Aires. Liverpool was 1/4 to 1/2 lower; the Buenos Aires market was 1/2 to 1/4 off at midday. The trade was largely in way of spreading and undowning various spreads with a little support on the dips. First 100,000 bushels, second 1,000,000 bushels. Not quite as heavy as expected. Primary arrivals 800,000 vs. 1,050,000 a year ago.

Weather conditions reasonable. Minneapolis stocks decreased 350,000 bushels for two days, the situation in wheat is fairly strong from a domestic standpoint, but the trade continues to be influenced by foreign news. Look for trading market activity, but purchases for quick turns on the dips. Visible supply decreased 2,440,000 bushels.

Corn: The corn showed a strong tone, the cash demand was fair with basis strong and country offerings continuing light, there were no deliveries. Receipts were 154 cars against 147 a year ago. Arrivals 768,000 vs. 1,878,000 a year ago and country advices indicated farmers were indifferent to bids at current price levels.

The cash demand was moderate for shipment but industries were reported good buyers, weather conditions reasonable, on the setbacks favor buying, visible decreased 2,440,000 bushels, total for day 1,727,000 bushels, long apparently being willing to hold the grain delivered on cash basis was 2,008,000 bushels with offerings still light, receipts here being thirty-seven cars estimated with primary arrivals 347,000 bushels vs. 420,000 a year ago, fair class of bushels on the setbacks, visible decreased 681,000 bushels.

Rye: Market was firmer with light offerings and fair gains scored in the late trade. Cash demands fair, shorts were nervous over the small deliveries.

Corn: The corn showed a steady decline the first two trading days with basis strong and country farmers continuing light, there were no deliveries. Receipts were 154,000 bushels here. The cash price was 768.00 or a 1.878.00 a year ago country advices indicated farmers indifferent to bids at current levels.

The cash demand was moderate. Shipment but industries were reported moderate. The market was reasonable on the setbacks fiver but today, visible increased 626.00 bushels to 1.727.00 a year ago. It was apparently being willing to hold grain delivered, cash basis was firm with offerings still light, receipts were 154,000 bushels here. The primary arrivals 247,000 bushels 320.00 a year ago, fair class of bushels on setbacks. Visible decreased 68.00 bushels. The market was firm on offerings and fair gains scored in late trade. Cash demands fair. S

By Logan and Bryan
Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Wheat: The market was a dull, featureless affair to-day when the trade piling was practically all local. The market opened lower and prices during the first period declined from 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 under the close Saturday, from which low points there was some slight reaction due to some support coming in, due mainly to buying against the daily bids.

The weekly selling came from those who had been buying on Saturday, but the extreme reactions there was not much pressure, offerings being light and with moderate short covering in the late trade the market was able to show a more stubborn tone, the latter being helped by firmness in Chicago in the nearby futures.

The demand for cash wheat was very small and spreads were unchanged to two cents lower. But they rose on Saturday, offerings were not heavy, but shippers have their cargo space pretty well taken care of unless some fresh space is chartered, and at best will only be small as large stocks are now across the lakes to take care of the winter demand.

Export sales over the week-end were confined to an odd load here and there with foreign demand for North American wheat generally disappointing. Liverpool closed 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lower with cables stating there was a poor demand for nearby wheat, while Argentine was trading for January and February shipments at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lower on the late cable, the on a poor demand for wheat and flour decreased 3,000,000 bushels with the world shipments last week totaling 13,072,000 bushels, indicating a broad consumption of foreign wheat abroad.

The Canadian visible supply of wheat decreased 4,083,000 bushels, the U.S. visible decreased 2,440,000, country marketings of wheat Saturday in Western Canada were 1,993,000 bushels, against 81,000 a year ago. Some showings were received in Argentine over the week-end, but the weather was reported clear and warmer. Winnipeg futures closed 1 1/4 lower.

Corn—These markets were firmer but trade was very light with no pressure in evidence. There was a little speculative buying at times based on the early strength in corn and there is a little more friendly feeling towards these grains owing to present low levels with the anticipation that Europe will need to buy shortly. Liverpool due not given.

INDEMNITIES FOR TUESDAY		
(By Logan & Bryan)		
Chicago		
Wheat.....		Bid
December.....		74-2
May.....		75-2
July.....		75-2
Wheat.....		Bid
December.....		61-2
May.....		61-2
July.....		61-2

LONDON METALS	
London, Dec. 1.—Standard copper	
140 2s 6d; futures, 149 5s; electrolytic	
53 1/2; futures, 113	
Tin, spot, 1114 1/2s; futures, 1116	
Lead, spot and futures, 113 1/2s 6d	
May, spot and futures, 114 1/2s	
Bar silver, 16 1/4d per ounce.	
Money, 1 1/2 per cent.	

WINNIPEG WHEAT PRICES AGAIN FLUTTER LOWER

With deliveries heavy in all markets on December contracts to-day, wheat prices fluttered lower by as much as two cents in Winnipeg, but Chicago held firm under the stimulus of Farm Board support.

Liverpool market was weaker, stocks of wheat there increasing another 600,000 bushels.

There was considerable liquidation in all markets owing to the lack of demand for actual wheat and favorable harvest weather in Argentina.

It has become apparent to all the trade now that the greatest wheat market panic in market history would have been underway two weeks ago if it had not been for the action of the U.S. Farm Board in pegging prices in the Chicago market by jumping into the pit and buying all wheat offered.

Cable from the Argentine reports weather there fair and warmer, with light local rains over the week-end.

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Everyone here is waiting some developments.

With ample supplies in the world's visible, importers are content to await definite news of the Argentine crop.

Deliveries to-day went into strong hands.

Movement of all grains from country points is surprisingly light. Farmers evidently not disposed to sell at these prices and are able to hold surplus grain off the market.

Liverpool, Dec. 1.—Broomhall to-day says: "We have heard further confirmation that exports of wheat from Russia are about to cease."

The Chicago Journal of Commerce to-day says: "Many traders are of the opinion that developments in the wheat situation from now on this season will be to the benefit of the bulls. They believe that all beach features have been discounted by the price. Good crops are practically assured in the Southern Hemisphere, although there is still a possibility that final outcome will fall short of popular estimates. Official advices from Argentine suggest that this may be the case. Russian offerings abroad are lighter and current reports indicate that they may cease altogether."

"Confidence has been injected into the Canadian situation by the appointment of an experienced grain man to sell the pool holdings. He declares that there will be no dumping of wheat and that the present situation is not without its element of optimism."

"Corn is attracting more interest and it is said that some strong accumulation is going on. Moderate movement to market and belief that a distinct scarcity will develop later are stimulating factors. Little corn is expected to be delivered on December contracts as there is not much available."

To-day's grain opinions are:

Chilman—Expect very narrow markets in wheat with no inducement to either buy or sell. Influence course grains have great merit.

Bennett—Feel wheat will meet good support on easy spots. Believe corn should be bought on easy spots and oats also.

Bache—Feel there is more room for advance than any further decline in the price of any grain.

Bartlett—Higher prices for wheat are dependent on broader general buying power. At these levels and under present weather conditions it is no time to get bearish on corn. Expect ultimately higher wheat levels, although market likely to hold within narrow trading range. Think trading attitude best in corn.

Lamson—Expect somewhat better wheat levels, although market likely to hold within narrow trading range. Think trading attitude best in corn.

Favor purchases on breaks.

FARMERS FORMULATE TEN-POINT PLATFORM TO END GRAIN CRISIS

By Canadian Press
Saskatoon, Dec. 1.—Three days of farm discussion arising out of the low grain price crisis on the prairies, are at an end. Organized agrarian bodies, seeking to evolve a definite policy for presentation to Premier B. E. Hargrave, met in a rough-hewn outline of their unanimous attitudes.

On ten points, the parties stood agreed. The conference, in complete accord, favored:

- (1) Attitude of the pools in seeking the best possible price for the present wheat crop.
- (2) Steps by the federal government to secure cost of production for prairie farmers.
- (3) Legislation to enable government control and inspection of all grain exchanges in Canada.
- (4) Gatherings from time to time of the three prairie agrarian bodies—a step toward farm union.
- (5) Price-fixing, based on stabilization of commodities and service on a production-cost basis.
- (6) Establishment of a Dominion Bureau of Standards to aid in an investigation of relative production costs.
- (7) Intensive study by farm bodies of state-aided and mutual crop insurance.
- (8) Efforts toward completion of the Hudson Bay route and to obtain equitable freight and insurance rates.
- (9) Reduction of grain and commodity freight rates and of interest charges under federal control.
- (10) Lowest existing price levels for co-operative farm-purchasing bodies from firms benefiting by the tariff.

"PEGGED" PRICE TALK
No decision was reached on 100 per cent pooling in wheat or rye, or 75 per cent pooling in barley, which the Dominion government should have for wheat. Alberta and Saskatchewan farm bodies favor a guaranteed equivalent to \$1.00 per bushel for wheat and \$1.00 for barley. Manitoba's organization has taken no stand beyond the statement by its president, E. J. Ward, that if any price is asked it should be \$1.00 per bushel for wheat and \$1.00 for barley.

Question of 100 per cent pooling may be reopened after the convention of Alberta pool delegates. At present, the Saskatchewan body is in favor of the "perfect pool" and Manitoba favors a ballot to determine its growers' stand. The Alberta farm body has never expressed itself in favor of the complete pool.

It is urged that cost of production be guaranteed to the farmer by the Dominion government, the western conference mentioned several methods. The "perfect pool" was suggested, might include a guaranteed minimum price, international agreements, lowering of tariffs or of interest or transportation rates.

TO-DAY'S REPORTS ON CALGARY OILS

By Special Service of Miller, Court & Co., Victoria Office.
British Dominion No. 3 has pierced the first strip of the McDougall Segur sands and is well on the way to the second, where production test will be made. It is anticipated that the well will be drilled steadily at 3,920 feet. At the annual meeting of the company a few months ago it was decided to attempt production at the McDougall Segur for the purpose of conserving development funds and strengthening the position of the company. At that time it was considered likely that wells drilled to the intermediate sands which have been profitable to several Royalties wells and the Widener well, would be profitable. The company has now decided to drill to the bottom of the line when the position of the company warranted it. The measure was taken primarily with a view to facilitating the investment of money in the form of dividends as soon as possible. Meanwhile the company is deriving strength from production at No. 2 well.

Imperial Oil drilling report issued to-day by Miller, Court & Co. says that the well was drilled to a depth of 1,184 feet. The production test of crude oil from the Home sands at 4,681 feet. J. H. McLeod, production manager of Imperial stated that the well was flowing into tanks at the wellhead.

Reports from the field regarding production rate were conflicting, but general opinion was that the well was yielding 160 barrels on the previous twenty-four hour test.

The Mayland and Royalty wells were being prepared for production following the completion of the drilling.

During the week, Lethbridge No. 1, the joint test of Imperial and Texas on the Lethbridge structure was started and was officially reported at a depth of 179 feet.

The details of the Imperial report follow:

Royalty No. 20 blowing out after shot at 5,180 feet.

Royalty No. 24 drilling at 5,274 feet, thirty-seven feet of new hole during the week.

Home No. 6 making production test at 4,689 feet, eight feet new hole.

Argentine No. 3 cleaning out after shot at 6,177 feet.

Mayland No. 6 standing cemented at 256 feet, 205 feet of new hole.

Lowery No. 4 standing cemented at 1,184 feet.

Lowery No. 2 drilling at 4,180 feet, 205 feet of new hole.

C.D. & P. fishing at 3,170 feet, eleven feet of new hole.

Southwest No. 2 drilling at 870 feet.

Western Lowery pulling casing at 4,180 feet. This well was the site of a fire recently.

Lethbridge drilling at 154 feet.

FOREIGN BONDS SHOW STRENGTH

Issues Called in New York For November Total Double the Amount of October
New York, Dec. 1.—The bond market was dull and featureless to-day. Pressure against corporate domestic issues was the chief factor in the narrow fractional changes that were general gave no hint of the trend. There were only a few exceptions to the upward tendency displayed by the foreign section and the largest proportion of the activity centered in a handful of issues.

New offerings to-day approximated \$1,000,000,000, compared with \$500,000,000 in the first eleven months of 1929, with the exception of the \$8,000,000 note offering of the People's Gas, Light and Coke Company of Chicago.

Bonds called during the month of November totaled \$1,126,408,000, reports Standard Statistics Company. This was double the amount in October. Total for the first eleven months of 1929 was sixty per cent less than 1929.

London, Dec. 1.—Standard copper, spot, 120 1/2; futures, 120 1/2; electrolytic, spot, 121 1/2; futures, 121 1/2; tin, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; zinc, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; lead, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; silver, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; gold, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; wheat, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; corn, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; barley, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; rye, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; oats, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; clover, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; alfalfa, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; cotton, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; wool, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; sugar, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; coffee, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; tea, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; rubber, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; hides, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; skins, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; bones, spot, 1114 1/2; futures, 1114 1/2; tallow, spot, 1114 1/2; 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Those who collect statistics on divorce tell us that if the true co-respondent was named in most cases it would not be some sheik or flapper, but the mother of the party of the first part or the party of the second part. They say that mothers wreck the homes of their children—often than infidelity or drink or extravagance or any other of the major or minor sins. They say that it is the mother who first disillusioned an enamored young husband about his wife, or a romantic young wife about her husband. It is mother who points out Mary's weaknesses to John and turns the spotlight on John's weaknesses for Mary and thus dissatisfies John and Mary with their bargains and makes them feel that they were stung and got a poor thing in marriage instead of the prize that they thought they were getting.



Thus does mother lay the ax to the foundation of the home of her children, not because she is mean and vicious and cruel and heartless and wants to ruin her children's lives and take away their happiness from them, but because she is obsessed by a fury of jealousy that blinds her to what she is doing.

She cannot bear to think of her children having any life apart from hers. She cannot endure the thought of their loving someone better than they do her, of their turning to someone else for companionship, for sympathy, for understanding. So she shuts her eyes to the consequences and fights in every underhanded way to keep her monopoly on her children, regardless of the wrong she is doing, regardless of the injury she is doing those she loves.

And the curious thing about this is that intelligent women, thinking women who are capable of weighing the nature and quality of their acts, as they say in law when they are trying to fix the responsibility of an individual, and good, church-going women who consider themselves Christians, commit this crime of crimes without even having a twinge of conscience. Even women who love their children do it. Indeed, the more absorbed a woman is in her devotion to her children, the more likely she is to commit it. Yet every woman knows that no misfortune that could possibly befall her children is so great as to be unhappily married, and why anyone should deliberately bring this grief upon them passes comprehension.

But they do, and just now I am witnessing one of these tragedies in the making, for I am seeing a mother alienating her son from his wife for no cause whatever except mother jealousy and her determination to keep her child at any cost.

A couple of years ago this woman's son married a nice young girl. The mother did not object at that time, for she had known the girl since her infancy, and she was in every way suitable and desirable, and has made the young man an admirable wife.

The mother, however, missed her son and wanted him about her, so she began pleading loneliness and phoning him to come over and see her, and to come alone as she wanted him just to herself. Then she began inviting him to meals to which his wife was never asked, and to go on little trips from which his wife was excluded because she was "an outsider" and there wasn't room for her in the car, or what not, until now it has got so that the young husband spends practically all of his spare time with his mother and leaves his wife at home alone.

Subtly she has implanted in the young man's mind that it is only his mother who understands him and can sympathize with him and that it is only a mother who loves him well enough always to sacrifice herself for him and that it is only mother to whom he can always turn for consolation when things go wrong.

The result of all this is that the mother is killing the young husband's love for his wife and makes him believe that the wife is nagging him every time she makes a suggestion to him. The mother has undermined the wife's influence with her husband and made him exclude her from his life. The mother has taught him to consider his wife a stranger and to neglect her.

It doesn't take a prophet to foresee that this marriage, which started out with every prospect of a fair and successful voyage, is going on the rocks simply because the mother is steering it that way. Left alone, this young couple would have been happy and united and cleaved to each other. No outsider could have parted them. It has taken mother's insidious influence to alienate their affections from each other as no vamp nor Lothario could have done.

This example of a mother breaking up her child's home every one of us can match with a dozen other instances in our own knowledge. We all know mothers who are forever telling their sons about how extravagant their wives are, or about their gadding too much, or playing bridge too often, and who "poor John" their sons until poor John feels that he is a martyr.

And we know plenty of mothers who plant the seeds of suspicion of their husbands in their daughters' minds and who urge their daughters on to spending money they can't afford and make them believe that their husbands are stingy. And we know mothers who are forever calling their children's attention to little peculiarities and mannerisms and faults in those to whom they are married and who always put their children's husbands and wives in the worst possible light before them.

And we all know that when husbands and wives quarrel it is always mother who fans the flames. It is mother who is first aid to divorce. It is mother who says: "Come home, my poor persecuted darling, and leave that brute who doesn't appreciate you." Mother never says: "Be a quitter. Buck up and do your duty. You've made a contract. Stand by it."

The only excuse that can be made for these mothers who try to separate their children from their husbands and wives is that they know just what they do. And, to tell the truth, they are generally appalled when there is a divorce and Sally comes back home with her babies, or John is parted from the children he adores, but it is time they woke up to the enormity of their offence, and realized that a mother has no more right to come between her children and those to whom they are married than has any alien or sheik.

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- HORIZONTAL**

38 Garden tool.

39 Jot.

40 Pronoun.

41 To pant violently.

42 Verbal.

43 Verb.

44 Pertaining to wings.

45 Divers.

46 2000 lbs.

47 Starch.

48 Hangs as if balanced.

49 Abolished.

50 Treeless plain.

51 Decree.

52 Bird-like.

53 Abnormal sleep.

54 Crevice.

55 Establishes one's self.

56 Sprite.
- VERTICAL**

1 Dense.

2 Constellation.

3 Male.

4 To handle.

5 Detested.

6 To press.

7 Repairs.

8 Fuel.

9 Wing.

10 To sink.

11 Offspring.

12 Pennies.

13 To gaze fixedly.

14 Obstruction.

15 Collection of facts.

16 Lymphoid tissues in the throat.

17 Subterfuge.

18 Dowel.

19 Skull.

20 Anesthetic.

21 Wedge-shaped piece of wood.

22 Lacerated.

23 Beverage.

24 First woman.

25 Tatter.

26 Kimono snail.

27 Twitching.

28 Devoured.
- SATURDAY'S ANSWER**

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ONE AGO ROD
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Ella Cinders

Ella has given up her newly found position of sympathy for a total stranger...

HOW CAN I EVER THANK YOU FOR WHAT YOU'VE DONE? YOU SEE, WHEN I LEFT HOME I BOUGHT A ROUND-TRIP TICKET—TODAY IT EXPIRES AND I JUST BARELY GOT THE JOB IN TIME!

NO, ELLA—WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE IT? YOU MIGHT LIKE IT IN WATSON—IT'S AN AWFULLY QUANTIT! IF YOU WANT THE TICKET, YOU'D BETTER HURRY—THE BUS LEAVES IN HALF AN HOUR!

THEN YOU WON'T BE USING THE TICKET, WILL YOU?

SAY, I WONDER IF YOU'D HOLD THE BUS FOR A WHILE TO ACCOMMODATE A PARTY OF FIFTEEN OR TWENTY?

CERTAINLY, LADY! ORDINARILY WE LEAVE RIGHT ON SCHEDULE, BUT WE'LL WAIT!

A PARTY OF FIFTEEN? OR TWENTY, EH? AND I SUPPOSE YOU'RE IT?

ABSOLUTELY—(I'M THE PARTY!) I'D HAVE BEEN MORE SPECIFIC BUT I NEVER LIKE TO TELL MY RIGHT AGE!

Well, what adventure is in store for Ella now? You'd be surprised!

Mutt and Jeff

JEFF IS WHISTLING LIKE A CANARY. HE MUST BE EATING BIRD SEED!

I HAVEN'T LEFT HIS SIDE FOR A YEAR. HE'S GOT NOTHING TO BE HAPPY ABOUT!

I'LL FOLLOW HIM AND SEE WHAT'S CHEWING HIM UP. A GUY THAT HAPPY AINT NORMAL!

HAS THAT INSECT DOUBLE-CROSSED ME AND SAVED HIS MONEY?

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS FUND.

CONTINUED TOMORROW

The Gumps

WHAT A JAR IT WAS—WHAT A BLOW—WELL, HENRIETTA MADE IT PLAIN ENOUGH WHEN SHE TOLD UNCLE BIM THAT IT WAS ALL OVER BETWEEN THEM.

THE MORE HEART—THE MORE SORROW—

WHY—UNCLE BIM—WHAT DOES THIS MEAN? WHERE ON EARTH ARE YOU GOING?

I WAS GOING HOME—NO ONE WANTS ME AROUND ANY MORE—I'M ONLY IN THE WAY—I'M SORRY FOR ALL THE TROUBLE I'VE CAUSED EVERYBODY—THAT'S ALL I EVER SEEM TO DO—I'M GOING BACK TO AUSTRALIA—TO BUSINESS—AND WORK—WHERE I CAN FORGET—THAT'S ALL I'M GOOD FOR—

WHY YOU DEAR OLD SWEET SUGAR COATED DARLING—I COULD TAKE YOU ACROSS MY KNEE AND SPANK YOU FOR EVER TALKING LIKE THAT—ALL WE WANT IS A LITTLE MORE ATTENTION—HE'S JUST A BIG HOMESICK BOY—THERE—THERE—DON'T YOU WORRY—YOU JUST UNPACK ALL THOSE THINGS OF YOURS—AND YOU'RE GOING TO STAY HERE WITH US—WE LOVE YOU—AND WE'LL NEVER LET YOU GO HOME—YOU'LL STAY HERE—THIS IS YOUR HOME—

SAY—YOU GREAT BIG OVER-GROWN MAN-EATING TIGER TRY AND GET OUT OF THAT DOOR—

SAY—WE WOULDN'T LET UNCLE BIM GO HOME—THIS PLACE WOULD SEEM LOST WITHOUT HIM—

Bringing Up Father

I MUST MAKE THE FAMILY THINK I GO TO BED ANGRY AND WAKE UP WORSE.

I'LL BET MAGGIE IS HIDIN'! BY GOLLY—I'M GITTIN' SO I LIKE TO LOOK MAD.

WELL—WHERE'S THE BREAKFAST AN? WHERE'S THE FAMILY?

THE WENT OUT EARLY, SIR!

WELL—WHERE'S THE BREAKFAST?

SORRY, SIR! IT'S SO QUIET AROUND HERE I QUIT.

OUT OUR WAY

HO, MA. I FOUND THIS BEHIND THE DILE OF ASHES DOWN IN THE BASEMENT—I WAS CLEANIN' UP THE BASEMENT AN' I NOTICED SUMPIN BEH—

OH, WHY DON'T I USE MY BRAINS? I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN YOU ALWAYS GET GOOD NEAR CHRISTMAS AND START ROOTING AND CLEANING AROUND PLACES THAT, ALL YEAR, I COULDN'T EVEN BULLY YOU INTO CLEANING—

I WISH YOU'D KINDLY BE SO GOOD AS NOT TO BE, SO GOOD AROUND CHRISTMAS.

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

—By WILLIAMS BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

OH CHUB—I FORGOT TO ASK YOU—who WAS TH' ROMEO YOU WERE SHADOWING AT TH' BALL LAST WEEK?

JUS' A FELLA I KNOW! BY TH' WAY, HE'S STARTIN' TO SCHOOL HERE—TODAY.

REALLY?

YEAH, HIS OLD GENT AN' MINE ARE JUS' LIKE THAT.

WELL—TOW IM OVER SOMETIME! I'D LIKE TO MEET IM.

SAY! WUT ARE YA SO INTERESTED IN HIM FOR? AREN'T THERE ENOUGH OF US FELLAS ALREADY?

SURE! BUT YOU'RE SLOWING UP! I THINK Y'NEED A LITTLE COMPETITION T'KEEP YA ON YOUR TOES.

Y'NEAN, ON OUR EARS! OWE! WUT TH' HECK! ONE MORE COULDN'T MAKE THINGS MUCH WORSE.

—By MARTIN

